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Third Ward—John Cummins, John Hayden, Jos. Reed.
Fourth Ward—James Lovington, A. L. Kane, Daniel Sullivan.
Fifth Ward—Andrew Mitchell, Edward Wanderly, Jesse Hunt.

STANDING COMMITTEES.—*Finance*—Wanderly, Lovington, Haughton.
Ways and Means—Kane, Mallory, Reed.
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Police—Humphrey, Kane, Sullivan.
Fire—Sullivan, Wanderly, Hayden.
Public Works—Reed, Cummins, Mallory.
Laws—Reed, Sullivan, Mitchell.
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Fifth Ward—Andrew Mitchell, Chas. A. Place, Edwin D. Wolf.

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5th Ward—Martin Delany.

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All the latest and most popular Music, Violin and Guitar Strings, and everything else in the line. The patronage the public is respectfully solicited.

J. BALATKA,
S. BIEDERMAN.
nov28 d&w

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THE ELEPHANT IS COMING!

J. HOOD, Auction and Commission Merchant, at the new Checkered Auction Room, No. 196 East Water Street, where liberal cash advances will be made on all kinds of Merchandize, Furniture, &c., for auction or private sales. MONEY LOANED on personal securities.

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Milwaukee, July 25, 1853. jy25

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AND DEALER IN
PICTURES AND PICTURE FRAMES.
☞ NEWS AND BOOK INK FOR SALE. ☜
☞ Next door north of the Post Office. aug13d3ly

H. SPAAN'S
GROCERY AND POULTRY STORE,
—IN THE MARKET HOUSE—
East Water Street, - - - - Milwaukee.
☞ WHERE, AT ALL TIMES, ☜
May be found a full assortment of GARDEN VEGETABLES, of all kinds, received *fresh every morning*. Also, Poultry, Fruits, Flowers and Garden Seeds, of the best varieties, which will be sold at the cheapest market price. ☞ Call and see.

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WILLIAM HAYWOOD, (*from J. Boyd's, Cornhill, London,*) Manufacturer of GUNS, PISTOLS, RIFLES, &c. Also, the improved Gain Twist Rifle, No. 252 West Waterstreet, Milwaukee.
☞ Shot Guns made to shoot close. oct10

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JOHN GREGORY, House and Land Agent, is instructed to sell a few acres of good land near the city. This would suit a gardener or nursery-man. apr22

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BY S. M. BOOTH. MILWAUKEE, SATURDAY AFTERNOON, JULY 15, 1854. VOL. IV.....NO. 255

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H. S. BROWN,
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DR. R. keeps constantly on hand Homœopathic medicines of all kinds, for the supply of Physicians and families. apr8

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DRUGS, MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, &c.
H. N. DAVIS, wholesale and retail dealer in DRUGS, MEDICINES, PAINTS, OILS, DYE-STUFFS, &c., Gale's Block, sign of the "Golden Mortar." Also,
Books, Stationery, Paper-Hangings, &c.
all which will be sold as low as the times will admit.
Waukesha, June, 1852.

Eagle Steam Power Foundery,
WEST WATER STREET,
Milwaukee, - - - - Wisconsin,
TURTON & SERCOMB, Proprietors,
RESPECTFULLY beg to inform their friends and the public generally, that they continue to manufacture all kinds of
Engines, Cast & Wrought Iron Works,
for Grist and Saw Mills. Also, all kinds of Machinery, at their well known establishment, Nos. 298 & 300 West Water Street.
They are themselves both practical mechanics, the one a pattern maker of twenty years' experience; the other a moulder of thirty years' experience. They likewise employ none but the very best workmen that can be obtained
Their stock of patterns cannot be equalled—they have all been made in this city, expressly for the wants of this State—and they can and will do better than any similar establishment in this State, and on the shortest notice.
☞ They respectfully call the attention of the public to their ENGINE DEPARTMENT.
THOMAS TURTON, JOHN SERCOMB,
October 4, 1853.

DECKER & SEVILLE,
PROPRIETORS OF THE
RELIANCE WORKS,
Milwaukee, - - - Wisconsin.
GENERAL MANUFACTURERS of Stoves, Castings, Agricultural Implements, Tin, Sheet Iron and Copper Ware, French Burr Mill Stones, &c., &c.
Job Work done on the shortest notice, and in a workman-like manner.
Manufactory, No. 290 WEST WATER ST. | Sale Rooms, No. 115 EAST WATER ST.
☞ Also, Dealers in Bolting Cloths, Mill Furnishings, Stucco, Water Lime, Fire Brick, &c. apr16
C. S. DECKER. JAMES SEVILLE.

BOOT AND SHOE STORE,
No. 116 East Water Street, Milwaukee.
THE SUBSCRIBER may now be found at his new place of business, No. 116 East Water st., opposite the new store of Durand & Lawrence.
Thankful for the liberal patronage heretofore bestowed upon him, he hopes by strict attention to business to merit a continuance of the patronage of his old friends, and to induce hosts of new ones to give him a call.
His stock of Boots and Shoes are all *his own manufacture*, and by employing good workmen, and using the best material, he feels confident that he can give perfect satisfaction to his customers.
☞ Remember the name and number.
oct31 H. FREEMAN, 116 East Water st.

THOMAS VAUX,
(*from New York,*)
Window Shade Manufacturer and Sign Painter,
91 Mason Street, Milwaukee,
OPPOSITE THE CITY HOTEL.
☞ He has on hand a good assortment of the latest and best styles of washable Transparent Window Shades. Store Shades and Screens made at the shortest notice, and all kinds of Shades made to order.
☞ Emblems painted on Shades for I. O. of O. F., I. O. of R., S. of T., &c. Also, Sign Painting. sep29

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Fashionable Barber and Hair Dresser,
NO. 16, WISCONSIN ST., MILWAUKEE.

PUBLIC HOUSES.

COMMERCIAL HOTEL,
—No. 50—
East Water Street, Milwaukee.
THE SUBSCRIBER having fitted up the above Hotel in a comfortable and commodious style, is prepared to attend strictly to the wants of all who see fit to give him a call.
☞ His table will be supplied with the best the market affords. Boarding by the day, month or year.
☞ Good yard and stabling.
apt15dtf GEORGE CARVELL.

UNITED STATES HOTEL,
Madison, - - - - - - - - - Wisconsin
THE PROPRIETOR has furnished this Hotel anew throughout, and his Table will always be supplied with the best the market affords.
The public patronage is respectfully solicited.
jan18dly G. DUTCHER.

MENOMONEE HOTEL,
—BY D. N. NEIMAN—
West Water Street, (near Spring Street Bridge,)
ja15 MILWAUKEE. 1dyly

MATTESON HOUSE,
Corner of Randolph and Dearborn streets,
CHICAGO, ILL.
STEVENS & WILLARD, PROPRIETORS.

A. E. VAN COTT.
WATCHMAKER and JEWELLER.
Corner of Michigan and E. Water Sts., Milwaukee,
AND 148 MAIN STREET, RACINE.
Having purchased the establishment of Mr. GARDINER, Milwaukee—informs his friends and the Public generally, that he has just received from New York City, the most splendid and extensive stock of goods in his line ever offered to customers in the Western country. This assortment comprises Gold and Silver Watches, with cylinders, anchor and patent levers, escapement, selected by himself expressly for his customers, and warranted.
CLOCKS in plain, gothic and ornamental cases, running from 30 hours to 30 days, made of the best materials and warranted among the best in the world. Also Marine Clocks.
LOOKING GLASSES.—A great assortment, with gilt mahogany frames of various sizes and patterns, with polished plates, and warranted true.
SILVER WARE—Table, tea and desert spoons, sugar scoops, &c., warranted of the finest coin standard.
LAMPS—A great variety of solar Lamps of the most perfect construction, securing a most beautiful and brilliant light, of various sizes and with elegant plain and cut glass shades.
MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.
Guitars of superior tone and perfect workmanship, Violins, the best assortment ever offered, including some of great antiquity and value. Accordeons of elegant tone and finish, German Flutes, Fifes, &c., with instruction books, Violin and Guitar strings, &c., and other appurtances to musical instruments
JEWELRY of the best quality, including Ear Rings of the Jenny Lind, German, and other late and fashionable styles. Breast Pins, Finger Rings, with diamond and stone settings; also fine coin wedding rings.
Mr. VAN COTT, having long been a manufacturer of the above articles in the city of New York, his knowledge and experience furnish him with excellent opportunities to select and recommend the best articles in his line.
FANCY GOODS of all kinds, such as silver and Buffalo Horn Combs, Brushes, Spectacles, Guard Chains, gold and silver, Britannia Tea Setts, Silver Cake Baskets, Castors, &c., &c.
☞ Watches cleaned and warranted to keep time for one year, or money refunded. oct29

1853. FALL TRADE. 1853.
NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!!
AT THE HARDWARE STORE OF
A. K. WILLIAMS,
25 Spring street, 1st door East of American House,
WEST SIDE OF THE RIVER.
A. K. WILLIAMS is now receiving and opening his Fall Stock of Goods, at No. 25 Spring street, where the Public can always find a general and complete assortment of Builders' Hardware, Cutlery, Carpenters, Coopers and Blacksmiths' Tools, Files, Iron, Nails, Glass, Sash, &c., &c., which he will sell, at wholesale or retail, as low as the lowest. ☞ Call and examine goods and prices before purchasing elsewhere.
Carpenters
Can be furnished with Planes, Saws, Hatchets, Hammers, Augers, Levels, Revels, &c., besides a general assortment of HOUSE TRIMMINGS!
Blacksmiths and Waggon Makers,
With Anvils, Vices, Bellows, Springs, Axles, Hammers, Files, Chisels, Rimmers, &c.
Coopers,
With Knives, Truss Hoops, Adzes, Shaves, Howels, &c.
Farmers,
Will find a complete assortment of Farming Utensils.
Everybody else,
"and the rest of mankind," can be accommodated with Nails, Sash, Shovels, Spades, Picks, Crow Bars, Axles and Springs; two, three and four tined Forks; Coil, Ox and Log Chains; Chain and Cast Pumps, Currycombs and Cards, Horse and Paint Brushes. Also an assortment of Enamelled and Tin Sauce Pans and Kettles; Shovels and Tongs, Fire Setts and Standards; Trays, Waiters in sets, Brass and Pillar Candlesticks, Brass and Glass Curtain Pins and Bands, &c., &c.
Milwaukee, October, 1853

JAMES G. BATTERSON'S
STEAM MARBLE WORKS,
335 North Main Street, Hartford, Conn.
JAMES G. BATTERSON has constantly on hand, or manufactured to order—
Monuments, Head Stones, Tomb Tables, &c., in every variety of design and adapted for execution in American and Italian Marble, Free Stone or Granite.
Mantles—In Statuary, Pyrenian, Lisbon, Irish, Brocatelle and Sienna Marble, many of which are richly carved and from the most beautiful designs.
Tessalated Tiling—Floors in Marble, and Minton's Encaustic Tiling, from new and elegant patterns, and laid in the most approved manner.
Garden Statuary—Urns, Fountains, &c., furnished to order.
Builder's Materials—Builders supplied with every description of Work in Brown Stone, and on short notice.
Carving and Ornamental Work—In every style and by superior workmen.
☞ The additional facilities afforded by Steam Power and Machinery for sawing and polishing stone, enable us to produce the most perfect work, and in the shortest possible time. j9dtf

WISCONSIN EXPRESS COMPANY.
THE SUBSCRIBERS would respectfully announce to the public, that they have just completed an arrangement, by which they are prepared to run, and have commenced a
DAILY EXPRESS,
From Milwaukee to Janesville and Madison,
touching at all intermediate points, leaving Milwaukee every morning at 7½ o'clock, and arriving from Madison and Janesville every evening.
They are also prepared to forward Express goods to Beloit, Lodi, Baraboo, Portage City and Mineral Point.
In connection with forwarding ordinary Express packages, they will attend to the collection of Bills, Notes, Drafts, &c., enter Government Lands, procure Deeds for outstanding Duplicates, pay Taxes, and transmit Specie and Currency to and from the places above mentioned, with despatch.
Prompt attention will be given to all orders, addressed to us, for the purchase of goods, &c., by Mail or Express.
(ap21) J. HOLTON & CO.,
Office corner East Water and Huron sts., Milwaukee

TO MY AMERICAN FRIENDS,
WHO ARE STUDYING THE GERMAN LANGUAGE, I would recommend for Holiday Gifts, my most exquisite stock of GERMAN LITERATURE. I only mention here—
GOETHE'S COMPLETE WORKS, latest edition. Poems—Faust—Hermann and Dorothea.
SCHILLER'S WORKS. Poems.
HERDER'S COMPLETE WORKS. Cid.
Lenau's, Uhland's, Platen's, Freiligrath's Poems.
Ladislaus Pyrker's Rudolphias and Tunisias.
Niebelungenlied.
Poetischer Hausschatz des Deutschen Volkes, (Poetical Treasury of the German Nation.)
Auerbach's Dorfgeschichten.
Tales of Grimm, Claudius, and of many others, too numerous to enumerate them—writings quite adapted to make the scholar acquainted with the profoundness, richness, beauty and spirit of this language.
Just received, a selection—almost 300 kinds—of READY MADE LEAVES.
An assortment of Toys, Carved Figures, &c., &c.
dec23 C. OTT, 275 Market Square.

TO FOUNDERYMEN.—A NO. 1 ARTICLE OF LEHIGH COAL, for sale at the Eagle Foundery.
dec6 (16) TURTON & SERCOMB.

1854.
E. M. SHOYER & CO.,
WHOLESALE & RETAIL CLOTHIERS.
154, East Water Street, Milwaukee,
DEALERS IN
Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods,
FRENCH AND ENGLISH CLOTHS,
CASSIMERES & VESTINGS of the latest styles.
Selected expressly for the custom trade. Gentlemen leaving their orders with us will have their wishes consulted and complied with, as all work is done under the supervision of Mr. S. H. BLACK, an artist of superior taste and merit.
READY MADE CLOTHING,
We have now on hand the largest and best selected stock of fashionable ready made clothing ever in this market, of our own manufacture, which we will sell as cheap as can be purchased of any house west of New York. Our stock of
SHIRTS, HOSIERY & CRAVATS,
Gloves, Collars, Suspenders, &c.,
is unusually complete, and at prices that defy competition. Thankful for the patronage so liberally bestowed upon the late firm, we hope by fair and honorable dealing to merit a continuance of the same.
my23-d&w E. M. SHOYER, SAM'L SHOYER.

CIRCUIT COURT—MILWAUKEE CO.
—IN EQUITY.
WILLIAM SANBORN *vs.* SAMUEL FARMAN, HARRIET FARMAN, and others.
The defendants in the above entitled cause, who are hereinafter named, having neither of them caused their appearance to be entered in said suit; and it having been made to appear to the satisfaction of the undersigned, by the affidavit of Otis H. Waldo, that the said defendants are all out of this State, and cannot upon inquiry be found therein, they are taken to be absent defendants, and it is ordered upon motion of Waldo & Ody, Solicitors for the Complainant, that Samuel Farman, Harriet Farman, Benjamin Patton, George Arthur, Guardian of the Estate of Sarah Montgomery, George Roberts, George E. Spencer, Calvin W. Howe, Benjamin W. Howe, William R. Whittaker, Henry U. King, Nathan C. Platt, Erastus Corning, George W. Platt, Erastus Corning, Jr., and G. C. Davidson, defendants in the above entitled cause, do jointly or severally appear and plead, answer or demur to the complainant's bill filed in said cause on or before the twenty-seventh day of September, A. D. 1854.
And it is further ordered, that the foregoing order be published in the Free Democrat, a newspaper printed in the county of Milwaukee, in the State of Wisconsin, for six weeks successively, the first publication to be made within twenty days after the date of this order. Dated Milwaukee, the 26th day of June, A. D. 1854.
(je28d6w) CHAS. E. JENKINS, County Judge.
A true copy—Attest: MATTHEW KRENAN, Clerk.

NOTICE.
OFFICE OF LA CROSSE & MILWAUKEE R. R. CO., MILWAUKEE, April 25, 1854.
NOTICE is hereby given, that the Installment of Five per cent on each share of the Capital Stock of the Milwaukee, Fond du Lac and Green Bay Railroad Company, heretofore called by that Company, is required to be paid to this Company, and that the following additional installments are required to be paid on all subscriptions to the Capital Stock of said Milwaukee, Fond du Lac and Green Bay Railroad Company, viz., Ten per cent on the first day of June next, and Ten per cent on the first day of August next. The said payments to be made at the office of the Treasurer of the La Crosse and Milwaukee Railroad Company, in the city of Milwaukee.
By order of the Board of Directors.
ap26dtawawtsugl LEVI BURNELL, Secretary.

NOTICE TO STOCKHOLDERS.
OFFICE OF THE LA CROSSE & MIL. R. R. CO., MILWAUKEE, January 19, 1854.
NOTICE is hereby given, that the following additional installments are required to be paid on all subscriptions to the Capital Stock of the La Crosse & Milwaukee Railroad Company, viz: Ten per centum of the amount of all Stock subscribed by persons residing east of Wisconsin River, payable on the first day of February next; and Ten per cent. on all such Stock, payable on the first day of June next. Also, on all Stock subscribed by persons residing west of Wisconsin River, the following installments, viz: Five per cent. payable on the first day of March next; Five per cent. payable on the first day of June next; and Ten per cent. payable on the first day of October next. The said payments to be made at the office of the Treasurer of the Company, in the city of Milwaukee. By order of the Board of Directors,
jan21 d2tawawtoct1 LEVI BURNELL, Sec'y.

HOMŒOPATHIC PHARMACY.
The Only One in Wisconsin!
THE subscribers would inform Physicians and Families throughout the State, and the West generally, that they have on hand, and intend to keep a constant supply of
Homœopathic Remedies,
from Tinctures and Triturations to the two-thousandth Dilution, sufficient for any demands in the West.
Our assortment also contains a full supply of Pellets, Sugar of Milk, Vials of all sizes, Corks, Distilled Alcohol, Physicians' and Family Medicine Cases and Chests, containing from ten to sixty Remedies, an assortment of Medical Books, &c, &c.
More than ordinary pains will be taken to procure the best articles that this country and Germany afford.
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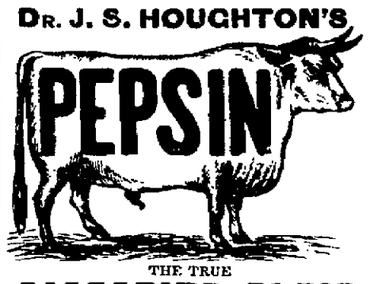

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SATURDAY::::::::::::::::::::::::::::JULY 15.

For President in 1856,
JOHN P. HALE, of New York.
FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
GEORGE W. JULIAN, of Indiana.

THE REPUBLICAN PARTY.—The people and their representatives, who met in Mass Convention at Madison on the 13th inst., adopted the name of Republican, as the designation of the new party of Freedom. It is a good name, signifying the government of the people. Under this name will rally all the friends of freedom, who are opposed to the extention of slavery, and to the Slavery-propagandism of the present Administration. It will be composed of men who love Liberty and their Country, more than the spoils of office, and who desire to transmit free principles, a free Constitution, and a free Government, as an inheritance to their children. The Platform of the Republican party is brief, broad, and plain, adapted to the exigencies of the times, and without going into detail, commits the party to the adoption of all Constitutional, lawful, and wise measures, to carry into effect its principles. The unanimity and cordiality with which the Platform was adopted by the Convention, the harmony and enthusiasm of its proceedings, and the spirit which animated the whole mass, are a pledge and earnest of success. We give our heart and hand to this party with a heartiness unfeigned, and a confidence undoubting, and believe the party of freedom, which has just been organized, will be triumphant in Wisconsin, at the next election

THE PEOPLE'S CONVENTION.—In the absence of the official proceedings, we give the following additional items.

The committee on permanent organization were, N. M. Donaldson of Fond du Lac, Samuel McCracken of Marquette, Charles Reser of Manitowoc, W. E. Smith of Dodge, R. A. Bird of Ozaukee, Lewis E. Peck of Washington, George S. Wright of Racine, P. M. Covell of Waushara, J. C. Mills of Walworth, J. T. Mills of Grant, Horace Rublee of Dane, Brooks Dunwiddie of Green, D. F. Sair of Rock, D. F. Wyman of Jefferson, S. Wade of Sheboygan, C. Skidmore of Calumet, A. Picket of Winnebago, Ransom Dunn of La Fayette, J. T. Flanders of Sauk, John Q. Adams of Columbia, R. E. Gillet of Milwaukee, and A. C. Lewis of Kenosha.

The following were the committee on resolutions;

J. A. Sleeper, David Atwood, R. A. Bird, B. Dunwiddie, S. H. Baird, Charles Holt, C. Adolph.

During the day and evening, the Convention not breaking up till after 10 P. M., speeches were made by the following persons, many of them eliciting hearty applause:

L. P. Harvey, Geo. B. Ely, and J. A. Sleeper, of Rock; Martin Mitchell of Fond du Lac; M. H. Orton, W. A. White, and H. S. Orton of Dane; J. H. Paine and S. M. Booth of Milwaukee; R. Dunn of Lafayette; H. McKee, of Jefferson; Johnson, of Sauk; Clement, of Racine; Stobbins, of Kenosha; and J. T. Mills, of Grant Co.

The Sentinel says full **FIFTEEN HUNDRED** persons were in attendance at the afternoon session.

Our Crooked Neighbor.

The Wisconsin gave ready circulation to the charge of Mr. Bunner, of the Janesville Standard, that we had forged Gov. Farwell's name to a letter which we sent him, but took no notice of the denial and refutation of the charge, until we called public attention to its injustice. It then acknowledged that the charge was disproved in reference to the two letters which we had named, as the only ones to which such charge could refer, but it had the petty meanness to say, that our denial was not broad enough, as the charge was that we had forged Gov. Farwell's name to a letter, and it might refer to some *other* letter.

Yesterday the Wisconsin had the still further meanness to publish part of an article from Mr. Bunner, written before he had seen our article and Mr. Orton's statement, and prefaces it by saying, Mr. Bunner "places us in a narrow place."

Now mark the flagrant dishonesty of Mr. Cramer. He declared publicly, in his paper, that we had *proved* ourself innocent of the charge of forging Gov. Farwell's name to *the* letter published in our paper. Mr Bunner explicitly says that that *is* the letter to which we forged Gov. Farwell's name. Harlow S. Orton, over his own signature, pronounces the charge false, and declares that *he* furnished us with that letter from Gov. Farwell. And with these facts before him, the editor of the Wisconsin thus eats his own words, to vent his spite toward us. The man who should steal a hundred dollars from us, we should regard as an honorable neighbor, in comparison with the editor of the Wisconsin.

WE make a suggestion to our American friends—that they subscribe for the *Wisconsin Demokrat*, at Manitowoc, and for the Sauk Co. *Pioneer*, to circulate among their German neighbors. They will thus do two good things—help sustain these papers, and enlighten their German friends as to the principles of the Republican party.

Saratoga Anti-Nebraska Convention.—The Anti-Nebraska Convention to be held at Saratoga, N. Y., on the 16th of August next, promises to be a great gathering. The Otsego (Cooperstown) Democrat, Pulaski Democrat, and Baldwinsville Gazette, regular democratic journals, come out strongly in favor of the movement.

THE "Volksfreund" is in a flutter about the Mass Convention, at Madison, caricatures it, and thinks the Convention was called to influence the decision of the Supreme Court in our favor. The article is in the low style of blackguardism.

L. P. FRISBY, District Attorney of Washington County, was admitted as an Attorney of the Supreme Court of the State, last Thursday. If any of our citizens wish to entrust their business to a prompt and reliable lawyer, we recommend them to Mr. Frisby.

Judge Smith's Opinion.

The New York Tribune, of the 12th inst., publishes the opinion of Judge Smith, against the constitutionality of the Fugitive Slave Act of 1850, and also devotes to a notice of it an editorial of a column and a third in length, under the caption—"The Fugitive Law Beginning to Tumble." After noticing the grounds on which the Fugitive Act has been upheld, &c., the Tribune says:

"But now from a Judge of the Supreme Court of Wisconsin, in the discharge of his official duties, comes a decision which commences a new era in the discussion of this question. Its author, Mr. Justice Smith, is said to be a Democrat. His judgment has all the bone and muscle, with the strong spirit, in which his youthful State exults. As a composition it is excellent, especially when compared with the dead level of judicial opinions, while it is often lifted by its animating principles into a region of true eloquence. Its manly vigor compares fitly with that of Lord Holt, when he declared laws contrary to reason to be void, and refused to be bullied by the House of Commons. And we doubt, if, in the annals of the English or American Bench, there be a judgment, which, for its subject and manner, may be more truly commended. The judgment of Lord Nottingham in the Duke of Norfolk's case, is much admired by the technical lawyer; there are many opinions of Lord Mansfield and Sir Wm. Scott which constitute important contributions to jurisprudence; while in our own country we have the judicial labors of Marshall, Kent and Story, worthy all of honorable fame; but no single judgment in the long list, English and American, has the combination of qualities which occurs in this. It will be found in to-day's paper, and should be read by all, especially by any man who yet gives credence to the alleged constitutionality of the Fugitive Act."

After stating the history of the case and reviewing at length the positions which Justice Smith maintained, it concludes thus:

"This promises to be a memorable judgement, leading the way to better things. Other courts and judges will take up the same exalted strain of justice. The pusillanimous example set by the Supreme Court of Massachusetts, will be discarded, while just guards to protect the liberty of the citizen, will be boldly asserted. The landmark which Wisconsin has now erected, will be cherished forever, sacred as the Constitution and the Common Law. It rarely happens to a person in judicial life, while dispensing justice, to associate his name with a historic act. A citizen has been set at liberty, and at the same time, a blow has been struck at a revolting statute, under which it will yet tumble to the ground."

BANKS OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.—The following are the only Banks in the District having offices of redemption in Washington, and conducted by responsible stockholders:

Corporation of Georgetown	1-2 p. c. dis.
Bank of Commerce, and Farmers' and Mechanics' B'k, Georgetown	par.
Bank of Metropolis	par.
Bank of Washington	par.
Exchange Bank, Shelden, Withers & Co.	1-2 p. c. dis.
Farmers' & Mechanics' B'k, Statham, Smithson & Co.	1-2 p. c. dis.
Patriotic Bank	par.

COMMUTATION.—Gov. Matteson of Illinois, has commuted the sentence of the three La Salle murderers who killed Story, and for which crime a jury of 12 men had decided they sho'd be hung, to imprisonment for life. The Governor previously decided not to interfere in the matter; but for some cause has seen fit to change his mind.

DEATH OF HON. SAMUEL BARSTOW.—Hon. Samuel Barstow, a talented lawyer of Detroit, died at Buffalo, of congestion of the brain, on the 12th inst., aged 42 years On Thursday of last week, he participated in the proceedings of the Anti-Nebraska Convention at Jackson, Mich., and on the following day, left with his family on a trip to the east for his health.

THE Green Bay Advocate says that Mr. Alcott, agent for the "Eastern Wheat Company," has recently made an engagement with Messrs. Day & Bros., of that place, to bring 150,000 bushels of wheat from Fond du Lac to Green Bay for 8 cents per bushels.

Messrs. Fowlers & Wells have commenced new volumes of the American Phrenological Journal and the Water Cure Journal. They are very able and interesting periodicals, and deserve the wide circulation they have attained.

HUNG.—Michael Jennings was hung at New Haven, Conn., on the 11th inst., for the murder of Mrs. Bradley, at North Haven, one year ago. The prisoner shed tears while the rope was being adjusted about his neck.

ANTI-NEBRASKA CONVENTION.—The Anti-Nebraska Convention at Indianapolis, Ind., on the 13th inst., was very largely attended. Judge Smith, an old line democrat, presided. Strong resolutions were passed.

INDIAN CELEBRATION.—The Oneida nation near Green Bay, celebrated the Fourth of July in grand style. An oration was delivered by their Chief, Daniel Brade, which was responded to by Mr. Kyle.

CANAL RECEIPTS.—The amount of tolls received at the Canal Collector's office, in Chicago during the month of June, was $9,633 37. For the month of May, $15,001 28.

CONFESSED.—Mr. Pauline, one of the clerks in Belmont's banking house, New York, has confessed being guilty in the recent robbery of that institution. He is now under arrest.

FIRE.—The factory of Boyce & Co., at Hartford, Conn., was destroyed by fire on the morning of the 14th inst. Insured for $12,000 which will not cover the loss.

THE New Hampshire House of Representatives have passed a resolution appropriating $20,000 for a State Reform School.

VERMONT.—The Free Democrats of this State, have nominated T. P. Walton as their candidate for Governor.

THE next Fair of the Kenosha Co. Agricultural Society, will be held at Bristol, on the 27th and 28th inst.

THE Edinburgh Review is just 50 years old; the Quarterly 44; the New Monthly Magazine 33; Blackwood 38, and Fraser 24.

THERE were 38 interments at Chicago on the 12th inst., 17 of the deaths occurred from Cholera.

THERE were 56 commitments to the Chicago jail, during the month of June.

HAVANA.—At last accounts, the Yellow Fever was raging at a fearful extent at Havana.

Ruining One's Self—A Case in Point.

THE Madison Argus speaks in the following strain of Mr. Paine's speech in the Habeas Corpus case, before the Supreme Court:

"Upon the conclusion of Mr. Sharpstein, Byron Paine, Esq., opened for the relator in a speech, which, thus far, has been of great force and eloquence. Mr. Paine is an able lawyer, and, though young in the profession, has already signalized himself by efforts worthy of greater pretension and experience. Though laboring against the weight of authority, and all former judicial interpretations, he acquitted himself with credit. His abilities are sufficient to place him among the first of his profession. It is a source of regret that his unfortunate idiosyncrasies of opinion should close against him other eminences which years and study would so well fit him to adorn."

THE earliest anti-slavery argument of Senator Chase, of Ohio, which was thought worth being printed, was a defense of the colored woman MATILDA, claimed as a fugitive from slavery. In that argument, delivered in March, 1837, he used this language: (He was arguing the unconstitutionality of the fugitive slave act of 1793.)

"I look with confidence to the Judiciary of the country. I feel assured, that though my reasoning may fail to convince this court, other courts, and perhaps this court, at another time, if not now, will pronounce this act UNCONSTITUTIONAL, REPUGNANT TO THE ORDINANCE OF 1787, SUBVERSIVE OF THE FIRST PRINCIPLES OF CIVIL LIBERTY, AND, THEREFORE, NULL AND VOID."

A great crowd was collected in the Court House, but it was the period of ultra anti-abolition ascendancy in Cincinnati, and he looked in vain for a single friendly face. There were friendly faces and friendly hearts there, as the future proved, but he did not know it. All around everywhere there were scowling looks, as if he was promulgating treason. Many honest people no doubt really thought so, and in their hearts believed that their scowls upon him were required by patriotism and duty. After he had closed his argument, as he passed out through the crowd, nobody greeted him with friendly cheer, or even a congratulation that he had made a creditable argument. One remark only fell upon his ear, which came from a veteran politician. "Well," said he, "there goes a promising young man, who has ruined himself forever."

It so happened that among his auditors at this time, was a young medical student, attending lectures in Cincinnati. Mr. Chase did not know him, and, except as the advocate of the cause, he did not know Mr. C. Shortly afterwards he went abroad, and spent several years in Europe, qualifying himself for a professional career. Finally he returned, and entered into practice in one of the counties of Ohio. Mr. Chase pursued quietly the practice of the law, never changing the opinions he avowed before the Court of Common Pleas, advocating them before the Supreme Court of the United States, and finally making them the basis also of his political action.

In 1848 the medical student was elected a member of the Legislature of Ohio. His name was NORTON S. TOWNSHEND. He was a Democrat, but an Independent Democrat. It so happened that the Old Line Democrats had not a majority in the Legislature, and of course could not elect one of their own number to the Senate, without a coalition with the Whigs.—Rather than do this, they preferred to elect a Democrat unshackled by their national party ties. Townshend proposed Mr. Chase, and the result was his election. The primary and controlling reason for Townshend's preference of Mr. Chase, was his argument in the Matilda case, and the independence of character which he thought it displayed.

If Senator Chase was ruined by his advocacy of the same views Mr. Paine has presented, there are a great many who would like to be ruined in the same way. And tho' a seat in the Senate, as at present constituted, implies more of duty and self-denial than of pleasure and honor, yet, no doubt, the *Argus* regards it as one of preëminent honor and importance from which Byron Paine's argument will exclude him.

The Fruits of Booth's Advice.

A few weeks since, the Editor of the *Free Democrat* advised his colored friends to carry arms, to protect themselves against the enforcement of our laws. They, in return, presented him with a dirk-cane, and expressed themselves satisfied that he would use it for a similar purpose. Consequently the "colored gentlemen" of this town that could raise the means, immediately provided themselves with weapons.—Some obtained common pocket pistols—others rifle pistols, or revolvers, according to their means. Our barber's shop, for a few days, presented the appearance of a temporary smelting establishment, or a shot tower on a small scale. Bullet moulds were in great demand. Some were running bullets, while others were putting on the finishing touch. Since that time each "darkie" goes "armed to the teeth." A few days since, a young darkie had a dispute with a white boy, about twelve or fifteen years old. The white boy refused to obey his orders, whereupon he drew his revolver and fired.—The ball passed through his hat, within two inches of his head. He then ran for home, and no one thus far has even asked, "Why do ye so?" Booth gave the orders, and his ignorant subjects, presuming that they have a right to enforce them whenever their rights are infringed upon, are bound to obey. Comments are unnecessary.—*Waukesha Plaindealer.*

WAUKESHA, July 13.

MR. BOOTH—*Sir:*—I take the liberty to address you a few lines concerning a piece that came out this morning in the *Plaindealer*. By reading the facts you will see the falsehood.

Mr. Adams bought a revolver, and after loading it, placed it in his drawer, and walked down to the village. After he had gone I went into a neighbor's house. While I was gone, a neighbor's boy, about ten or twelve years old, came to my fence, and my little boy says, I have got a pistol. He went into the house and got the pistol, to show the boy, and said he could snap the cap, and did so, not knowing that it was loaded. He was not quarrelling, neither did he shoot at any one, and no one was harmed. He was properly punished for disobeying his father, in touching the pistol. I heard the report of the pistol, and went home, and both boys told the same story.

MRS. A. E. ADAMS.

The article from the *Plaindealer* is a fair specimen of the reckless statements of its Editor. It bears on the face of it, evidence of falsehood. There is but one rule to be observed in regard to such a sheet, and that is, to expect falsehood from it as the general rule, and truth as the exception.

THE Fourth of July was appropriately celebrated at Berlin. Rev. Mr. Bristol delivered the oration, and the Courant says it was an excellent one.

Senator Gillette's Defense of Connecticut and Liberty,

In the Senate of the United States, on the 5th of July, in reply to an attack of his colleague, Senator Toucey, upon the Legislature of his State, and upon its acts against Slavery.

(We publish it from the telegraph report, and it is doubtless full of typographical errors.)

Mr. Gillette said: I feel deeply embarrassed in appearing before the Senate in a position of unavoidable antagonism to my honorable colleague, but under a sense of duty to the State which a have the honor in part to represent, I must ask the indulgence of the Senate for a few moments while I notice some of the remarks which have fallen from his lips on this occasion as antipodal as are your respective positions of the great question of the age and country. I trust that for the honor of our common State and the dignity of the Senate we may always be on terms of kindly intercourse. I do not intend on occount of any contrariety of opinions to become unmindful of the courtesies and proprieties which appropriately belong to senatorial, no less than to civil life. I do not rise, Sir, with any wish of intention of invalidating anything that my honorable colleague has offered, any further than he has implicated others in his defence. So far from it I am willing, nay desirous that he should have the full benefit of all he can say legitimately in extenuation of his course. I have no heart to aggravate, by any word or deed of mine, the embarrasments of his position; and had he conducted his defense without assailing the honor of our common State, which it seems to me we are alike interested to preserve and defend, I should have been silent. But, Sir, I feel that the honor of the State of Connecticut is deeply involved, and I should be false to my convictions of duty, and derelict to that good old Commonwealth, if I should sit mute and passive when her honnor is assailed—that State which stood second only to Massachusetts in the Revolutionary struggle—that State of which the great historian Bancroft, a citizen of Massachusetts, has said, "I "know of no State in the Union or in the world, "in the history of which, were I a citizen, I "should find so much of which to be proud "and so little that I could wish to blot"—that State, Sir, to which the late Mr Calhoun, in a speech delivered on this floor in February, 1847, said with a magnanimity worthy of his great name: "It is to Connecticut and New-Jersey "that we owe this Federal rather than a Nation-"al Government, the best Government rather "than the worst and most intolerable on earth." You will excuse me, then, for indulging a little in State pride and feeling somewhat sensitive when the honor of that State is assailed. I shall not enter into abstract questions or indulge in pettifogging subtleties, but shall only attempt to disabuse the character of the State of the aspersions which have been cast upon it, that it may shine forth in its native effulgence. It may not be unprofitable, in the first place, to inquire what is the cause of the disagreement between my honorable colleague and the State which we represent? Why has this unhappy difference, to use no stronger term, arisen between a sovereign State and one of its representatives on this floor? It is one of the bitter fruits of the latest great peace measure which was to settle all agitation for all time in this country. It had its origin in the overthrow of the Missouri Compromise. This is the pestilent-box out of which it shrank. I will state the facts as briefly as possible in relation to this matter. The proposition to violate the public faith by the abrogation of that Compromise, thus breaking down the last barrier against Slavery to all the Territories of the United States and leaving them wide open to its dark inundations—Territories which had been declared forever free by what was considered at the time to be a solemn and irrepealable compact—startled the good people of Connecticut from their slumbers and rallied them to the polls at their late State election in April, and the ballot-boxes rang out an indignant "No." This was the great issue in that election, and never was there a political revolution in any State more complete and signal. It was attended with no storm of popular excitement. It was conducted with remarkable moderation and calmness—hardly a leaf trembled in the breeze. It was the natural, spontaneous, uprising of the people to avert a great impending calamity and save themselves on their country from its disastrous consequences. Outside of the pale of Governmental officials, there was hardly a voice of dissent. The result, Sir, was what we should naturally expect. Both branches of the Legislature were overwhelmingly opposed to the odious measure. Soon after convening early in the month of May, the subject was brought up and resolutions presented declaring it to be a violation of the public faith, destructive of mutual confidence, subversive of the fundamental principles of national justice, and threatening the stability of this Government, and they instructed their Senators, and earnestly requested their Representatives to oppose it by all honorable means, and to the last extremity. These resolutions passed the house by a vote of nearly three to one, and in the Senate with only a single negative. I submit to the consideration of honorable Senators whether there was ever a fairer, fuller, more explicit and authoritative expression of the popular sentiment of any State any where, at any time, on any question. The Legislature expressed the sentiments of the people of Connecticut on that momentous question. There was hardly a discordant echo from any quarter of the State. These resolutions were duly forwarded to Congress. The dreaded bill soon came from the house with an amendment for the final action of the Senate, and what did my honorable colleague?

It is known to the Senate and the country—on the memorable night of the final vote, a few moments before the question was put—he arose in his seat, with characteristic deliberation, and informed the Senate that he was under instructions to vote against the bill, but he had determined to disobey the instructions of an Abolition Whig Legislature, and vote for the bill—a beautiful exposition of the doctrine of popular sovereignty by one of its distinguished advocates. Hardly had the last word for popular sovereignty in Kansas and Nebraska died away upon his lips, before he arises in this Senate chamber, scouts the popular sovereignty of his own State as an Abolition Whig sovereignty, and assumes autocratic sovereignty in opposition and defiance of the popular sovereignty.—This is a simple and unvarnished statement of the case. Never was there a fuller, fairer, more explicit, authoritative expression of the popular will; and I leave it for others to say whether there ever was a more audacious and contemptuous violation of public sentiment. In as much as the good old Democratic doctrine of the obligation of the representative to obey the will of his constituents, has been by him contemned, I have nothing to say. I leave the honorable Senator with Jefferson and his constituents.—But my honorable colleague has seen fit to take sanctuary in certain other acts of the Legislature, some of which he gravely says they did pass; and some of which, he also says, they did not pass. Thus arraigning the Legislature of Connecticut before the Senate not only for sins of commission, but also for sins of omission.—Now, Sir, I am unable to see the pertinency of these matters to the question before us. How the enactment or non-enactment of good or bad laws by the sovereign authority of a State can justify its representative in disobeying positive instructions to vote against a bad law, here in the Senate, unless it has come to pass in these latter times that, contrary to the Scriptures, the servant is greater than his master, I am unable to see. I am yet to learn whether the Legislature of Connecticut is guilty of wrong doing for enacting such laws as they in their wisdom may think best. The honorable gentleman has commented upon some acts which the Legislature did not enact and upon some which they did, among which he gave particular prominence to an act for the defense of liberty. This in his judgment conflicts with the Fugitive Act, for the safety of which he is alarmed. Now, Sir, I would not do the injustice to my colleague to compare myself with him in legal science: but I have given some attention to the law to which he has taken exception since I saw it heralded through the country as nullification, and I have not been able to discover anything in it that needs to excite apprehensions of the most vigilant sentiments of the Fugitive Act. I have consulted several eminent civilians in relation to it, all of whom have assured me that it conflicts with no law of the United States, and I think I can safely challenge those who assert to the contrary to produce the proof. But without detaining the Senate upon this point, I would here raise the question whether under the Constitution of the U. States Connecticut has not as much right to enact laws for the protection of the rights of her people, as South Carolina has to enact laws for the destruction of the rights of her people? Whether Freedom may not be protected under the Constitutinn as well as Slavery? Cannot Connecticut be indulged a little with the privilege of protecting the rights and liberties of her own people upon her own soil, when a part of them at least have no protection except such as is furnished by prison walls in certain other States of this Union.

Oh, Mr. President, has it come to this, that we of the North are all centralized, absorbed, melted down, swallowed up, consolidated into this great central usurping government, and the Northern States are mere appendages—shorn and rayless sattelites, to revolve around this all absorbing centre, in borrowed light. God forbid. To this momentous question, Connecticut, I rejoice to say, true to her ancient fame, as the vigilant champion of State rights, and mindful of her grand historical eminence as a defender of liberty, answers No. I feel somewhat as the great friend of America and Liberty felt when giving voice to these words in the British Parliament in 1776: "I rejoice that America has resisted. Three millions of people, so dead to all the feelings of liberty as voluntarily to submit to Slavery, would have been fit instruments to make slaves of the rest." I do rejoice that in the great conflict between democracy and despotism, now begun in good earnest, Connecticut has been so prompt to take her position on the side of Freedom, and to call upon us to restore this Government to the old foundations on which her Ellsworth and Sherman were so active in establishing it, and separate it from Slavery at once and forever.—She has done with all compromises, with the perfidious violators and haughty contemners of the public faith, and now says, return to the early policy of this Government, that of discouraging, restricting and discountenancing Slavery everywhere under its jurisdiction. She calls upon us to discard the vile and contemptible dogma that the Constitution of the U. States is a shield of Slavery, or anywise countenances that most cruel and terrific despotism that has ever crushed humanity. A despotism which denies the natural right of a man to his own body, a husband to his own wife, or a father to his own child; which holds husband, wife and child separate or together in the market places; which asserts chattel slavery to be a Divine and Democratic institution, and so avows its purpose indefinitely to extend, and forever to perpetuate the terrific curse. I thank God, Sir, Connecticut is washing her hands from this blood, and calls upon us, in her old voice of Freedom, to cleanse this Government from its guilty participation in the diabolical work of enslaving and imbruting man. She invokes us to disabuse the Constitution of the miserable dogmas which slaveholders have hoisted into it to serve their own nefarious purposes, and restore to it the original construction in which its illustrious framers conceived and established it, not so much as admitting into it, as Madison, Sherman, and others, said they would not the blasphemous idea that man can hold property in man. She invokes us to return to the original policy of this Government, inaugurated by Jefferson, and interdict Slavery on every rod of territory under its jurisdiction. She would have us see to it that this Government, President, Judges, Congress, and all, be speedily rescued from the foul embrace of the great southern syren, raised up from its low debauchment to virtue and freedom, vitalized anew by the inspiring breath of liberty, and replaced on the old foundations upon which its great fathers established and left it, there to be resolutely and actively on the side of freedom. It is meet and proper that the State of Ellsworth and Sherman, who would not admit Slavery into the Constitution on any terms, and the State of Putnam and Hale, who fought honorably for freedom, should speak out clearly at such a crisis, and call upon us to shake off from this Government the accursed vampire of Slavery. My honorable colleague has undertaken for the second or third time, to prove the Missouri Compromise line unconstitutional. I will not tax the patience of the Senate with any reply, further than to offset the opinions of President Monroe, together with those of his unrivaled Cabinet, Calhoun, Crawford, Wirt, and John Quincy Adams, against the argument and opinions of my honorable colleague.

He has also animadverted on the Fugitive act, and he is welcome to his opinions upon that subject. I do not intend ever to be drawn into a discussion of that measure. It might have an awkward tendency toward pacification. No, Mr. President, I am not the man to discuss the Fugitive act I will not do it. I can never cast so great an indignity upon the Constitution of my country as to admit by the remotest implication the possibility that it could kennel such a Cerberean monster. Tell me not of the constitutionality of an act which, by one bound, vaults over all the bulwarks of liberty in all the States of this Union, and strikes down at one blow, the writ of habeas corpus, and the right of trial by jury; which converts the great question of personal liberty, not to a judicial trial, but to a summary process before a magistrate appointed (not by the President, with the concurrence of the Senate) by the Court; which forbids the exercise of Christian charity to the poor and perishing, under severe penalties;—which seeks to degrade man below the beasts; which accounts his precious rights of too little value to be entitled to a jury trial; which holds out the bribe of a double fee to the petty Commissioner for dooming a human being to slavery; which, in short, overthrows all the safeguards of human rights, and leaves man an easy prey to be despoiled and captured by the pirate, the kidnapper, and the slavehunter. It was conceived in sin, shapen in iniquity, and baptized in blood. It has no rival in its savage brutality; nothing in the code of any civilized nation to compare with it, but towers alone in its detestable pre-eminence of atrocious, unmitigated villany. I will never affront the Constitution of my country so much as to hold up this frightful gorgon before it, and ask the question,—Is it constitutional? Rather will I assist to drive it back howling to its native hell, if it would not be too terrible an infliction on the damned. Tell me that my Constitutional oath imposes an obligation upon me to obey this infernal act? I spurn the deed; I scorn the behest; I defy the authority. As if our fore-fathers intended their children should act the slave-hunter and the blood-hound for the slaveholder! As if they bequeathed to us such an inheritance of crime, brutality and shame!—The Constitution which I swore to observe and maintain was ordained to establish justice, and secure the blessings of liberty, and in accordance therewith, expressly declares that no person shall be deprived of life, liberty, or property, without due process of law. By this I stand; by this I will be judged. I know that Connecticut in the olden time was libeled by a Tory renegade, who absconded to England to perpetuate his vindictive falsehood, as the "blue-law" State; but by the blessings of God, the numerous progeny which he left behind him shall never fasten upon it the deeper, damning infamy of the black-law State. Do you accuse me of using strong language? I am just from the people, and have a right to use strong language in their sovereign name. In conclusion, Mr. President, allow me to say that I feel a just and loyal pride swelling my bosom as I contemplate the position of the good old commonwealth which I have the honor in part to represent.—She has begun the good work, and will go on to perfection. It gives me joy to think her dark days of servility and shame are over, and that she has entered upon a new career of freedom and glory; but if from any unforseen misfortune she should ever fall back again into the hands of the servile Philistines—the slave-mongering Democracy, which Infinite Mercy arrest—I will not follow the example of my honorable colleague, and take advantage of her misfortunes to insult and expose her before all Israel and the sun, but will cleave to her still like a true son, for what she was in her days of beauty and pride. I will cherish and defend her to the last. I will walk backward with averted gaze, and hide her shame.

Wayside Correspondence.

STEAMER ARCTIC,
Thursday, P. M., July 13, 1854.

Yes, it is pleasanter for the rain The air is cool and pure, and I wonder how the passengers can be so sleepy. The *ennui* of traveling, where nothing is found that will cause to forget the object at the end of a journey, compels us to sleep away the hours.

What a place of all kinds of associations is a steamboat cabin. That old fellow sitting there by that table, (I believe he is a Wisconsin farmer, by his calculating, good-natured countenance), has studied that excuse for a landscape on the ceiling for more than an hour. I should like to know his opinion of the artist. That sharp-eyed Yankee has been in a study for a longer time. I guess he is calculating the probable cost of the steamer. But that wide-awake fellow, (glad there is one who is not dreaming.) is going to make something out of the "trip" while he can find passengers to quiz. I like that fellow, and believe if he lives to the age of sixty, there will be no boundary to his information.

It is too bad, the Ladies are all sick; cholera medicine will not cure sea-sickness; if it would they would assume their dignity again in a hurry. Every one has a package of "preventive and cure." But the gentlemanly steward and his helpers are ministering to their wants.—Such experience teaches humanity. To some it is an important lesson. The cholera and the Convention at Madison seem to be the topics of conversation with those that can talk.

We are nearing Kenosha. I am going to say more of the "cabin" and gentlemanly officers of the Arctic anon. G.

Meeting at Raymond, Racine Co.

Pursuant to notice, the friends of freedom met at the Congregational church, in Raymond, June, 26th, for the purpose of organizing a town league. The meeting was attended by men whose souls burn for liberty, every man himself an host, and the sentiments uttered on the occasion demonstrated that the men are equal to the times.—Here were assembled men in the meridian of their days, standing in all the dignity of their nature, appealing to Heaven for the justice of their cause, and, in language unmistakable, declaring themselves ready to sacrifice all for freedom; men also, whose head are silvered over by the frosts of many winters, whose appeals of eloquence, and the recital of whose early times come to our hearts like admonitions and advice from the tombs of our revolutionary fathers. Could but some of those federal whiffets which are barking and yelping around the heels of the people, and feel considerable importance because they are bedecked with monkey jacket and epaulettets, or in leading strings of the organ grinders of the government, threatening terrible things by way of brass cannon, &c. Could but some of these, I say, witness, at some of these gatherings, the deep, unanimous feeling existing in behalf of liberty, they would, I think, be well satisfied as to how utterly contemptible and and how insignificant their threats are, and how little effect the word Brass Cannon &c., have upon the nerves of

A thousand men on mountains bred,
With rifles all so bright,
Who know full well in time of need,
To aim their guns aright.

They would there hear the deep toned thunder of public indignation, pent up in its subterranean recesses, ready to burst forth perhaps at no distant day, and woe to the tyrants, when that day arrives; for as sure as it does come, their destruction will be as complete as was the destruction of the doomed cities of Pompeii and Herculaneum. And two thousand years hence, some curious antiquarian will, perhaps, in searching among the dusty records of bygone ages, stumble upon the accont of the late most wicked and piratical deeds of wrong which have been perpetrated by the government upon the people of the country of *Washington*, and ascertaining the facts, will not be surprised that even the very names of all those who did this great wrong, have been buried for ages.

The meeting being called to order, Edward Rastall was appointed Chairman and Geo. Law Sec'y. pro tem.

On motion, a committee of five were appointed to present a Constitution for a town League where upon Rev. T. Loomis, J. L. Scofield, Loring Weber, John Blair, and Grant Maynard were chosen said committee.

Reported the State League with a little alteration, which was adopted.

Instead of Sec. 10, thus—That we most heartily rejoice in the decision of Judge Smith, in the case of S. M. Booth, and pledge ourselves to sustain that decision.

Sec. 8 to conclude thus,—by all means the exigency of the case may require.

The name of this Association to be Freedom League of Raymond and vicinity.

Officers to be a President, 5 Vice Presidents Secretary, and Treas.

The following were elected as officers of the League, J. L. Scofild, Press.; Edward Rastall, Loring Weber, John Blair, Timothy Sands, and Conant Landon, Vice Presidents; W. V. Moore, Sec.; Lewis Judson, Treasurer.

Resolved. That the proceedings of the meeting be signed by the officers, and published in the Racine Advocate, and Wisconsin Free Democrat. EDVARD RASTALL, Pres.

GEO. LAW, Sec'y.

GODS MADE TO ORDER.—At one of the religious aniversaries just held in London, Rev. Dr. Archer read the advertisement of a Chinese idol maker, as published in one of the Canton papers in 1823. The artist declared himself ready to "execute to order" idols from 12 feet high to the size of a marmoset monkey, or the most hideous monster that can be conceived, to inspire awe or reverence for religion. His charges were, for an ourang-outang, three feet high, $700; a sphynx, $400; a bull with hump and horns, $650; a buffalo, $800; a dog, $200; an ass in a braying attitude, $850.

MILWAUKEE COMMERCIAL RECORD.

OFFICE OF THE DAILY FREE DEMOCRAT,
MILWAUKEE, July 15, 1854.

There is very little stir in the market to-day, receipts light and prices drooping.

Wheat ranges at 80@90.

Rye 70@72 Oats 30@32. Barley 45@60. Corn 60@62.

Wool—worth 22@25.

The propeller Forest City is loading with Oats for Buffalo, at 4 cts.

PORTMONAIE LOST.

LOST, YESTERDAY AFTERNOON, between Wm. T. Bostic's Drug Store and Jas. Miner & Farns' office, on Wisconsin street, a PORTMONAIE, containing some seven dollars in bills, a small quantity of silver change and a paper of medicine.

The finder of the above property will be thoroughly rewarded by leaving it at Mr. Bostic's Store on Spring St. jy15d1t

DAILY DEMOCRAT.

C. D. BOOTH, Local Editor.

SATURDAY.....JULY 15.

☞ Those who want to make known what they have to sell, to people in town or country, will advertise in the FREE DEMOCRAT, as this Paper has an extensive circulation. Short stories, and to the point. ☞ Send in your orders before 8 a. m., to appear in afternoon paper. Terms reasonable.

Local, Miscellaneous, News, &c.

☞ For Miscellany, &c., see 1st and 4th pages.

RELIGIOUS NOTICE.—Rev. J. G. Wilson will preach in the Spring St. Congregational Church to-morrow morning and evening at the usual hours of service.

ST. JAMES CHURCH.—The afternoon service in this church, on Spring St., will be dispensed with during the hot weather.

CHICAGO FIREMEN. — Arrangements were made last evening, for the reception of three of the Chicago Fire Companies on Tuesday next. The Chicago Companies will arrive here at 3 o'clock P. M., when our Fire Department will be prepared to give them a cordial reception. Refreshments will be prepared for them at Young's Hall, by Belden, and will be got up in his best style: after which, they will repair to the Str. Lady Elgin, and have a dance.

MILWAUKEE & HORICON RAILROAD.—We learn that the contractors commenced work on this road at Horicon, the fore part of this week, and it is the intention of the Company to have it completed and ready for operation to Waupun by the time the La Crosse Company finish their road to Horicon.

We learn that the stock of this Company now amounts to over $1,000,000.

HORRIBLE, IF TRUE.—A gentleman reported in this city, a few days since, that the Michigan roads have been in the habit of sending their emigrants in their common freight and grain cars, to the number of 50 or 60, and locking them in, with no ventilation or water. He says that hundreds have died in this suffocating position within a month, and that he saw one of these *death-holes* opened, at its arrival at Chicago, and that *every passenger was dead!* They are reported to be in the habit of opening the cars at a sort of quarantine, near the city.

We give this as we learned it, with many doubts as to its truth. But as this story has gained some circulation in the west, the Central and Southern Michigan roads should make some explanation, if it be not true; and if true, no censure is too severe for them.

PETTY THEFT.—We learn that nearly 100 keys have been stolen from the doors of the city Hotel, by some greedy scamps, whose distinction between *meum* and *tuum* were not as keen as they should be.

COMMITTED. — Two boys from Franklin, were committed to our jail yesterday afternoon, in consequence of their inability to pay a fine of $10 adjudged against each of them, by a Justice of the Peace in said town, for dogging cattle.

MARINE.—The str. *Arctic* arrived here from Chicago this morning, and left immediately for Sheboygan. She will return to this port this afternoon, and will leave for Chicago in the evening, unless the str. *Cleveland* arrives to take the course, as is expected.

From the Sentinel.

The Truth of History.

MESSRS. EDITORS:—In a notice this morning in the Sentinel, of the model of Fitch's steamboat found in the garret of Col. Kilbourn of Ohio, you mention that the Col. was a "brother-in-law" of Mr. Fitch. I wish simply to offer a correction of this by informing you that Col. Kilbourn (my father) was the "son-in-law" of John Fitch, by his marriage with Lucy Fitch, his only daughter. I, some years since, read a romance founded upon John Fitch's discovery of steam power, and his invention of the steamboat, in which it was stated that his daughter Lucy lived with him in Philadelphia, and was married to a blacksmith. This was too erroneous, even for a novel, as it was all invention, without any shadow of truth. Instead of which, she lived in Connecticut with her mother until her marriage with my father, who was a Parson, a Merchant, and a Miller, but had never learnt the blacksmith's trade. I wonder, however, that he did not, as he learnt almost everything else. As the grandson of John Fitch, I am desirous of preserving the truth of history in regard to him as far as practicable.

Very truly yours,
BYRON KILBOURN.

The Traveler.—This unfortunate steamer lies at her dock with her main deck submerged.—She was scuttled soon after the fire was discovered, but sunk very slowly. Just before she touched the bottom, the forward hawser burned off and the wind took her bow out into the stream, so that she lay almost directly across the river. Had she sunk then, the harbor we'd have been blockaded. By great exertions another hawser was made fast to her bow, and her head brought in just in time to prevent so serious a calamity to our shipping at large.

The origin of the fire is still left to conjecture, except that it must have been by some carelessness on the part of the firemen. The extent of the loss cannot be known until she is raised, which will be done speedily. Capt. Clement arrived from Detroit last evening, and will drive the matter along with his usual energy. The Traveler is owned entirely by the Wards, and it is known that they never insure their boats. *Chicago Press, 14th inst.*

The new steamer which has been built at Eureka, made her appearance at the Berlin dock, July 4th. She was commanded by Capt. H. B. Rounds, and is owned by the Messrs. Rounds of Eureka. It is well modeled, and peculiarly adapted to the crooks and turns of the shallow Fox.—*Berlin Courant.*

We learn that two men and a boy were struck by lightning, about six miles this side of Waukegan, during the thunder shower yesterday morning. The boy recovered, but the men were instantly killed. One of them leaves a wife and seven small children.—*Kenosha Tel.*

WE don't know but we shall have to "confess the maize" to the Free Democrat respecting the 7th creation day. We have made up our mind since seeing the criticism that we don't read our bible as we ought to.—*Kenosha Democrat.*

Still They Come.—A friend informs us that on Tuesday evening *eight* stages arrived in this city *full* of passengers. Many came to purchase homes for themselves and friends.—*Green Bay Ads.*

Harvesting Commenced.—Several farmers residing in this vicinity, have already commenced harvesting their winter wheat. New wheat will soon be in the market.—*Berlin Courant.*

On Tuesday the Fourth of July, a daily paper was started in St. Louis, to advocate the claim of Thos. H. Benton to the Presidency.

CHURCH DIRECTORY.

☞ Religious Services to-morrow (Sunday), at the places and hours mentioned below!

	A.M.	P.M.
St. Paul's, Episcopal, Rev. W. W Arnett, corner Mason and Jefferson streets	10½	7
St. John's, Episcopal, Rev. David Keene, corner Hanover and South Division sts	10 "	3
St. James, Episcopal, Rev. J. P. T. Ingraham, Spring Street Hill	10 "	
First Presbyterian, Rev. W. H. Spencer, corner Milwaukee and Mason sts	10 "	7
North Presbyterian, Rev. John M. Buchanan, corner Milwaukee and Martin sts	10 "	2½
Plymouth, Congregational, Rev. J. J. Miter, cor. Milwaukee and Oneida sts	10 "	7
Spring St., Congregational, Rev. ——, cor. Spring and Second sts	10 "	7
Methodist Episcopal, Rev. Chauncey Hobart, Young's Hall, Wisconsin st	10 "	7
Methodist Episcopal, Rev. Jabez Brooks, Jackson st., between Biddle and Martin sts	10 "	7
First Baptist, Rev. R. A. Fyfe, cor. Milwaukee and Wisconsin sts	10 "	7
St. John's Cathedral, Catholic, Bishop Henni, Jackson st., near the Court House	10 "	3
St. Gall's, Catholic, Rev. Mr. Lynch, cor. Second and Sycamore sts	10 "	3
St. Mary's, German Catholic, Rev. Jos. Salzmann, cor. Main and Biddle sts	10	3
Trinity, German Catholic, Rev. Joseph Sadler, Greenbush, near South Division	10	3
Evangelical Lutheran, (German,) Rev. A. Muhlhauser, Main Street	10½	2
Associate Reformed Presbyterian Church, at Lecture Room, Young's Hall, Rev. H. Q. Graham	10 "	2½
New Jerusalem, (Swedenborgian,) cor. Wisconsin and Main Streets, third floor	10 "	
Unitarian Society, Rev. F. A. Tenney, at the Court House	10 "	
Grove Street and City Mission, Rev. A. C. Pennock	10 "	7½
Welsh Calvinistic Methodist Church, corner of Michigan and Jefferson Streets	10 "	7
Presbyterian Church, Rev. Harvey Miles, Wesleyan Methodist, Hanover st., north of South Division st., Fifth Ward	10 "	3
Dutch Reformed Church, (Holland,) Rev. ——, between Ninth and Tenth Sts	9½	2 6½

HORTICULTURAL EXHIBITION.

Report of Committee on Premiums.

FLOWERS.

ROSES—Best collection, varieties named, C. Gifford.
Best 12 Hybrid Perpetuals, do
Best 6 " " Mrs. A. Mitchell,
Best 1 " " (Prince Albert) C. Gifford.
TENDER ROSES—Best 6 varieties, D. Ferguson.
ANNUAL FLOWERS—Best collection, J. H. Gilmore.
CARNATIONS—Best variety, (Scarlet Gem) P. Cannon.
Best Seedling, (Rosamond) C. Peters.
2d best " do (Celeston) do
PICOTEES—Best collection, Dr. McVicker.
Best Seedling, not before ex., Thos. Hyslop.
PINKS—Best collection, Mrs. Byron Kilbourn.
PHLOXES—Best 6 varieties, Thos. Hyslop.
VERBENAS—Best 12 varieties, D. Ferguson.
Best 6 " do
Best 1 " do
PETUNIAS—Best collection, Mrs. A. Mitchell.
PANSIES—Best collection, do
WILD FLOWERS—Best named collection, J. W. Dunlap.
FUSCHIAS—Best collection, A. J. Fuller.
GREEN HOUSE PLANTS—Best collection, Mrs. A. Mitchell.

BOUQUETS.

Best Round Bouquet for Centre Table, J. H. Gilmore.
Second best do Mrs A. Mitchell.
Best Flat Bouquet for the Mantle, Mrs A. Mitchell.
Second best do Mrs. L. Ward.
Best Round Hand Bouquet, J. H. Gilmore.
Second best do J. A. Parker.
Best Flat Hand Bouquet, Mrs. E. Cramer.
Second best do Mrs. Yale.
Best Bouquet of Wild Flowers, Messrs. Rothhammer & Connor.

Mr. Ferguson exhibits with his collection of Tender Roses two varieties not before exhibited.

Mr. R. N. Messenger exhibits the best collection of Hollyhocks ever exhibited in the Society, and also a pair of beautiful green-house plants.

Mrs. J. W. Dunlap exhibits one of the most beautiful round bouquets of mixed flowers presented.

Mr. Dorward exhibits a very fine round bouquet of various colored Pinks.

Mr. Ferguson, Mrs. Mitchell and Mrs. Whaling exhibit some very handsome blooms of new Dahlias.

Mr. R. W. Parker contributes to the exhibition 16 varieties of Roses, a very fine and well grown Oleander, 12 varieties of Verbenas, and various flowers of herbaceous plants.

FRUITS.

CHERRIES—Best and 2d best varieties, H. Ludington
CURRANTS—Best variety of White Dutch, Chas. Gifford.
2d best, Red Dutch, do
RASPBERRIES—Best variety Franconia, Peter Cannon.
GOOSEBERRIES—Best variety Yellow Roaring Lion, D. Ferguson.
2d best, White Smith, C. Gifford.

The Committee recommend as worthy of attention a very handsome seedling White Currant, exhibited by Mr. Messenger.

Mr. Dorward exhibited a dish of fine Strawberries—Burr's New Pine.

Mr. Randall exhibits a basket of Red and White Antwerp, and a beautiful specimen of the Cherry Currant.—It is decidedly the largest fruit of the sort exhibited.

Since the last report on Strawberries, one of the most active members of our Society has thoroughly tested, under a variety of circumstances, Newland's Mammoth Alpine. The plants and fruit have been examined by a member of the Committee on Fruits, and both unite in pronouncing it an unmitigated humbug.

R. W. Parker contributes a basket of Amber Gooseberries, 2 varieties of Native Raspberries, and a dish of Mazzard Cherries.

VEGETABLES.

Best 3 heads Cabbage, Peter Cannon.
Best ½ peck Peas, Peter Wyneble.
Best bunches Onions, do
Best 6 heads Cauliflower, do
Best doz. Beets, do
Best doz. Turnips, do
Best 2 bunches Radishes, do
Best 3 bunches Carrots, Peter Cannon.
Best Cucumbers, (Man of Kent) Dr. Weeks.

Mr. Henry Spann makes his customary display of a large and fine collection of Vegetables.

A Conscientious Man.—Mr. Robert Schuyler, the defaulter, the extent of whose operations has far eclipsed those of all the Swartwouts and Hoyts of former times, is the same man that, a few months ago, had *conscientious scruples* about running trains on the New Haven Railroad on Sundays.—*Transcript.*

TO THE TRAVELING PUBLIC.

☞ We, the undersigned, passengers by the Michigan Southern Railroad to Monroe, and Steamer Southern Michigan to Buffalo, take pleasure in commending this route to the notice of the traveling public, for the comfort, pleasure and dispatch, as well as the kind and gentlemanly attention of the officers in charge of the same.

We also take pleasure in stating there is ample time given to make the connection at Buffalo, with the morning trains east, having come through from Chicago in 24 hours.

We desire particularly to render our testimony in favor of Capt. PERKINS, of the steamer Southern Michigan, and the under officers of that most excellent boat, for their kind attention extended to us during the trip, and commend the route, the boat, and her officers to travelers, as being speedy, pleasant and delightful.

W. G. Tuller, N. Y.;	Henry A. Cox;
E. D. Webster, Springfield;	S. C. Keeler;
L. Hull, Buffalo;	G. L. Butterfield;
H. C. Ashly, Arkansas;	O. W. Williams;
E. H. Miner, Lockport,	J. K. Church;
M. S. Lathry, "	J. W. Church;
W. W. Wood, Buffalo;	D. H. Roberts;
L. A. Scott, Bristol, Pa.;	W. H. Morse, Waterford;
D. R. Coit, Esq., Chicago;	R. Rooney;
E. H. McKinney, Pa.;	P. P. Morrison, New-York;
John Palmer;	R. V. Watson, "
H. A. Camp, Buffalo;	F. Jones, "
L. W. Cutler, New-York;	J. C. Britton, Milwaukee;
L. Stucking; "	J. Keiser, St. Louis;
E. R. Rounds;	James Weaver, Troy;
G. L. Wilson;	Wm. Webster; "
W. P. Clark, Monroe;	Wm. Strong, Geneva;
Pierson Parout, New-York;	And others. jy11d1w

GOLD JEWELRY AT AUCTION!

WILL BE SOLD at **Hood's Checkered Auction Room**, on

Friday and Saturday Evenings, July 14 and 15,

at early Gas Light, the largest and most complete assortment of **Fine Gold Watches and Jewelry** ever offered at Auction in this City.

The Goods are open through the day for the inspection of all wishing to purchase.

Every article warranted as represented, or the purchase money refunded.

Pedlars and Country Dealers are respectfully invited to call and examine the Goods.

jy14d2t J. HOOD, Auctioneer.

JAPANNED WARE.

A LARGE STOCK OF JAPANNED WARE received and in store, and for sale at a *great reduction* from former prices, and at as low, if not lower, than at any other establishment in this city. Also, *Pressed Tin Ware*, full assortment. *Common Tin Ware*, always a stock on hand. All for sale at the lowest rates, as usual, by

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TO SPORTSMEN.

SPLENDID CLEANING RODS—the best we have ever received. Also, Shot Pouches and Bags, Powder Flasks, Percussion Caps, all the celebrated makes, and a general and full assortment of Gun Trimmings, for sale at low prices, by jy14 H. J. NAZRO & CO.

TO MECHANICS.

MORTISING AND BORING MACHINES—A few of these very superior articles and labor-saving machines just received, and for sale by

jy14 H. J. NAZRO & CO.

RAKES—200 dozen assorted Hay Rakes, just rec'd and for sale by (my26) H. J. NAZRO & CO.

EXCITEMENT IN CALUMET COUNTY—*Kidnappers Around!*—By the proceedings of the County Convention held in Calumet Co., last week, it will be seen that the inhabitants are somewhat alarmed and are prepared to live up to the sentiment of Patrick Henry,—"Give me liberty or give me death." The proceedings we'd lead us to suppose that there are fugitives there, so we infer that no harm will be done if we say we have been informed that such is the fact, and that the inhabitants have good reason to know that slave hunters have been on the soil and that they are now endeavoring to procure assistance to capture a father and three children. We are glad to feel assured that they are in safe hands. The men who are prepared to do their duty to the poor outcasts, live up in Calumet Co. Though few in number, they are determined, and we predict that if any attempt is made to take a slave from that Co. that there will be less blood in human veins and more on her free soil.—*Fond du Lac Freeman.*

A Great Invention.—From the Swedish papers we learn that an important invention in relation to bank notes, has been laid before the Commissioners of Banking at Stockholm. The invention is by Count P. A. Sparre, and is twofold; he counterfeits with incredible exactness, the bank notes in use, but prints others which he himself cannot imitate. The invention prepares the paper of three different laminæ, and in this gives, without the slightest difficulty, or even exertion of artistic skill, the finest water marks in perfection, and then follows the preparation of the paper by a simple and merely momentary process, but which gives again the printing and engraving absolutely perfect. The operation is said also to comprehend saving expense.

Recovering to Die.—The Boston Post says that at Baltimore, a Hebrew woman, who was supposed to be dead, was dressed in her shroud, placed in her coffin, and the lid was about to be screwed down, when it was discovered that life was not extinct. All present immediately gathered around the coffin, and the enshrouded corpse-like form arose from her narrow bed and embraced her children and relatives with all the fervor of renewed life. To all appearances, she became convalescent, and subsequently partook of food. She remained in this condition until the approach of night, when she tottered to the bed, and in a few moments died.

The Weather—Crops.—The weather, during the past week, has been unusually fair, and vegetation has made rapid progress. Last evening we had a fine rain, accompanied by sharp lightning and heavy thunder.

Crops look most flourishing,—wheat will be fit for the cradle the latter part of this week—and all kinds of produce show evidence of an early and abundant harvest. We have conversed with farmers from various parts of Norrthern Wisconsin, and all are unanimous in their belief that nothing can prevent a most prolific yield, yet some think that wheat is too rapidly ripening.—*Waupacca Spirit, 11th inst.*

Fire at Oconto.—On the 5th inst., the large public house owned and kept by Mrs. Lindsley at Oconto, was entirely destroyed by fire, together with all the clothing and furniture belonging to the family, none of which were insured. It is supposed to have caught from a fire made in the yard to destroy musquitoes.—There was a keg of powder in the house, which prevented any one from approaching it until after the explosion, when it was too late to save anything. The loss will be about $4,000, which falls heavy on an industrious and deserving family.—*Green Bay Adv.*

A Chance for a Harnessmaker.—The individual who has been conducting the above business in this place, for a series of years past, and who came here penniless, having succeeded in amassing quite a fortune, has, with the most praiseworthy generosity, retired, leaving the field open for another of the craft. Berlin is in the centre of an extensive agricultural district, and a better opportunity for a good harness maker, with a moderate capital, is not to be found in Wisconsin.—*Berlin Courant.*

PHILIDELPHIA, July 11.—The proprietor of the *Register* having set two girls to work in his job office, the Typographical Union of this city interfered to prevent it, and induced the members of the Union in the Register office to leave. Several members of the Union have been held to bail for conspiracy, and a hearing of this case will take place this P. M.

Post Office Appointments.—Postmaster Hicks furnishes us with the following appointments, recently made in this vicinity:—John Brady, vice E. B. Abbott, resigned, Freedom, Outagamie Co., and John Bartelme, vice C. Gilbert, resigned, Cooperstown, Manitowoc Co.—*Green Bay Advocate.*

Who shall be our next Congressman? is asked on every side. The Menasha Advocate proposes John A. Brown, editor of the Badger State. Mr. Brown, we believe, is on the fence in relation to the Nebraska question. We want no more "doubtfuls."—*Berlin Courant.*

California Wheat Crop.—The Placer Times says that the number of acres in wheat in California, this year, is over 60,000, and estimates the yield at 557,500 barrels of flour, enough to supply the present population of the State, for 15½ months.

It is said by those who have carefully investigated the subject, that the betrayal of our Saviour by Judas Iscariot was conducted throughout in a strictly legal manner. No law was violated, except by Peter who cut an officer's ear off.

A low, scurrilous article appears in the Fond du Lac Union of this week, headed "The Mongrel Convention." Such low slang is beneath the dignity of a MAN, and but recoils upon its author.—*Berlin Courant.*

This village offers some most flattering inducements to a good tailor, there being none in town now.

A good carriage and wagon maker would also do a good business.—*Waupacca Spirit.*

The business of the United States Supreme Court, (says the National Intelligencer,) grows beyond all precedent. The report of the last term will fill two large volumes, whereas previously, one volume was found sufficient for the proceedings of a term.

CINCINNATI, July 10.—Edward Mulligan, the local Mail Agent at St. Johns, has been held to bail in $4000, under charge of purloining letters from the mails a few days since.

Two deaths have occurred from small pox, in Weyauwega. No new cases are reported there, and we infer that the disease is disappearing.—*Waupaca Spirit.*

Newspaper Change.—Edwin Croswell retires from the Albany Argus, and Gideon J. Tucker, for some time past associate editor, assumes his interest in the establishment.

John A. White, Esq., has been elected President of the Board of Directors of the Crystal Palace, *vice* P. T. Barnum resigned.

Major WHITE, editor of the Georgia Gazette, is dead.

THE 'Ericsson' is once more ready for sea, and will make another trial trip this week.

RIOT.—An Irishman named Jas. Ashter, was killed in a riot at Baltimore, a few days ago.

MILLINERY AND DRESS-MAKING!

S. A. CARROLL, No. 16 Wisconsin Street, IS NOW PREPARED to execute all orders in DRESS MAKING, having just received the *latest and most approved styles for Dresses, Mantillas, Mantelets and Talmas.*

☞ Also, a good assortment of SPRING MILLINERY, and a splendid assortment of FRENCH FLOWERS.

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TELEGRAPHIC NEWS.

From Washington.

WASHINGTON, July 11.—The Union publishes a letter received by a member of Congress in relation to a project being on foot to fit out a Russian privateer, with the view of attacking the guard-house at Chagres, to carry off the gold for Britain sometimes deposited there, and also capturing vessels from California or Australia with Gold. The parties to the project are two naturalized Irishmen who have agents in London.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—*Senate.*—Mr. Seward of New York presented a memorial from the Industrial Convention in favor of the passage of the Homestead bill.

Senator Pearce offered a joint resolution for the distribution of the works of Thomas Jefferson, now in course of publication by order of Congress.

House.—Mr. Cummings of New York introduced a bill authorizing the Postmaster General to enter into contract for the transportation of mails between this country and various points in Europe.

The examination of Mr. Clingman of N. C. before the Colt investigation committee has been concluded. Mr. Colt arrived in Washington this morning.

The bills allowing Post Office expenses in the Aaciific Territories passed the House.

Trial of Father Kreger.

CINCINNATI, July 11.—The Catholic priest charged with an assault upon a German girl, with intent to commit a rape, was tried yesterday before Judge Flyn. The Jury remained out until noon to-day, when being unable to agree, they were discharged. They stood six for conviction for assault with intent to commit a rape, and six for assault and battery.

GENERAL ELECTION NOTICE.

STATE OF WISCONSIN,
SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
Madison, July 6, 1854.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That at the next General Election to be held in the several Towns and Wards in the State of Wisconsin, on the Tuesday next succeeding the first Monday in November, being the seventh day of said month, the following Officers are to be elected:

A Representative in Congress for the First Congressional District, comprising the counties of Kenosha, Milwaukee, Racine, Walworth, and Waukesha, in the place of Daniel Wells, Jr., whose term of office will expire on the fourth day of March next.

A Representative in Congress for the Second Congressional District, comprising the counties of Bad Ax, Buffalo, Chippewa, Clark, Crawford, Dane, Douglass, Dunn, Grant, Green, Iowa, Jackson, La Crosse, La Fayette, La Pointe, Marathon, Monroe, Pierce, Polk, Portage, Richland, Rock, St. Croix, Sauk, and Trempeleaux, in the place of Ben C. Eastman, whose term of office will expire on the fourth day of March next.

A Representative in Congress for the Third Congressional District, comprising the counties of Brown, Calumet, Columbia, Dodge, Door, Fond du Lac, Jefferson, Kewaunee, Manitowoc, Marquette, Oconto, Ozaukee, Outagamie, Shawano, Sheboygan, Washington, Waupacca, Waushara, and Winnebago, in the place of John B. Macy, whose term of office will expire on the fourth day of March next.

A State Senator for the First Senate District, comprising the counties of Calumet, Manitowoc, and Sheboygan, in the place of H. N. Smith, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January next.

A State Senator for the Third Senate District, comprising the county of Ozaukee, in the place of Andrew M. Blair, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January next.

A State Senator for the Fifth Senate District, comprising the First and Second Wards of the City of Milwaukee, and the towns of Granville, Milwaukee, and Wauwatosa, in the county of Milwaukee, in place of Edward M. Hunter, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January next.

A State Senator for the Seventh Senate District, comprising the county of Racine, in place of John W. Cary, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January next.

A State Senator for the Ninth Senate District, comprising the towns of Brookfield, Delafield, Lisbon, Menomonee, Merton, Oconomowoc, and Pewaukee, in the county of Waukesha, in place of Geo. R. McLane, whose term of office will expire on the first day of January next.

A State Senator for the Eleventh Senate District, comprising the county of Dane, in the place of Thos. C. Whittlesey, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January next.

A State Senator for the Thirteenth Senate District, comprising the county of LaFayette, in the place of Charles Dunn, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January next.

A State Senator for the Fifteenth Senate District, comprising the counties of Iowa and Richland, in place of Levi Sterling, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January next.

A State Senator for the Seventeenth Senate District, comprising the towns of Avon, Centre, Fulton, Janesville, Magnolia, Newark, Plymouth, Porter, Rock, Spring Valley, and Union, in the county of Rock, in the place of Ezra Miller, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January next.

A State Senator for the Nineteenth Senate District, comprising the counties of Bad Ax, Buffalo, Chippewa, Clark, Crawford, Douglass, Dunn, Jackson, La Crosse, La Pointe, Monroe, Pierce, Polk, St. Croix, and Trempeleaux, in the place of Ben amin Allen, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January next.

A State Senator for the Twenty-first Senate District, comprising the county of Winnebago, in the place of Coles Bashford, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January next.

A State Senator for the Twenty-third Senate District, comprising the counties of Adams, Marquette, Sauk, and Wausharn, in the place of D. S. Witham, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January next.

A State Senator for the Twenty-fifth Senate District, comprising the county of Columbia, in the place of John G. Adams, whose term of office will expire on the first Monday of January next.

Members of the Assembly and such County Officers as are required by law, to be then elected.

The following proposed amendments to the Constitution of the State are to be submitted to the people at such election, to wit:

Amend Section 4 of Article 4, as to read as follows:—"The members of assembly shall be chosen biennally, by single districts, on the Tuesday next succeeding the first Monday of November, by the qualified electors of the several districts; such districts to be bounded by county, precinct, town or ward lines, to consist of contiguous territory and to be in as compact a form as possible."

Amend last clause of Section 5 of same Article, as to read as follows:—"The senate districts shall be numbered in regular series. The senators chosen by the present odd numbered districts, in the year 1854, shall hold their offices until the last day of December, 1856. The senators chosen by the present even numbered districts, in the year 1855, shall hold their offices until the last day of December, 1858. Thereafter senators shall be chosen for the term of four years, but the legislature at any new appointment, shall so classify the senators to be elected from any additional senate district, which may be formed, that the term of office of all senators elected from even numbered districts shall expire at the same time, and the term of office of all those elected from odd numbered districts shall expire at the same time."

Amend Section eleven as to read as follows:—"The legislature shall meet at the seat of government once in two years, and not oftener, unless convened by the Governor."

Each elector may vote for or against the first of the above named amendments by depositing a ballot containing the following words: "For amendment to section four," or "against amendment to section four," and for or against the second of the above amendments by depositing a ballot containing the words, "for amendment to section five," or "against amendment to section five," and for or against the third of the above amendments by depositing a ballot containing the words "for amendment to section eleven," or "against amendment to section eleven." The votes given by any elector for or against any or all of said amendments shall be on one ballot, and to be deposited in a separate box prepared for the purpose. The qualification of the electors to be the same, and the votes canvassed and returned in the same manner as in elections for State officers.

ALEXANDER T. GRAY,
jy15–d6tw1t Secretary of State.

Judicial Election Notice—Eighth Circuit.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
MADISON, July 6, 1854.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an election for Judge of the Circuit Court for the Eighth Judicial Circuit of the State of Wisconsin, comprising the counties of Chippewa, Douglass, Dunn, La Pointe, Pierce, Polk, and St. Croix, will be held in the several towns and election precincts in said counties, on the last Monday, being the twenty-fifth day of September next.

Said election to be held and the votes canvassed in the same manner as general elections for State and County officers, in accordance with an act entitled "An Act to divide the Sixth Judicial Circuit, and organize an Eighth Judicial Circuit, and to fix the time for holding the Circuit Courts in the counties of the respective circuits," approved February 17th, 1854.

ALEXANDER T. GRAY,
jy15–d6tw1t Secretary of State.

Judicial Election Notice—Ninth Circuit.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
SECRETARY'S OFFICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, That an election for Judge of the Circuit Court for the Ninth Judicial Circuit of the State of Wisconsin, comprising the counties of Dane, Jefferson and Sauk, will be held in the several towns and wards in said counties, on the last Monday, being the twenty-fifth day of September next.

Said election to be held and conducted, and the votes canvassed in the same manner as at general elections for State and County officers, in accordance with an Act entitled "An Act to divide the Second and Third Judicial Circuits, and organize the Ninth Judicial Circuit, and to fix the times of holding the Circuit Courts in the counties of said respective circuits," approved April 1, 1854.

ALEXANDER T. GRAY,
jy15–d6tw1t Secretary of State.

SCHOOL BOOKS & BLANK BOOKS—A new supply just received. (my23) J. A. HALL.

MILWAUKEE CITY BANK!

OF
KNEELAND & HULL,
—No. 217—
East Water Street, Milwaukee.

THIS BANK is engaged in the business of BANKING, in all its departments (except the issuing of bank-notes), and will always be prepared to purchase approved Business Paper, Bills, Bonds, Notes, Drafts, Bank Certificates, City, County and other Corporation Orders, &c., &c.

☞ *Interest paid on Deposites at the rate of Six Per Cent., subject to Check of Depositor without notice.*

☞ Money loaned to our customers IN ANY sums, and for any time, from one to ninety days.

Bills, Notes, &c., received for collection, and proceeds remitted at current rates.

Eastern and Southern sight and time Exchange always for sale, in sums to suit. Sept. 1st, 1853. (dmc)

TOWNSEND, FINKLER & CO.,

BANKING AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,
MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN,
No. 215 East Water Street.

NEW YORK AND EASTERN EXCHANGE, and Exchange on all the Principal Cities of Europe, for sale at the lowest current rates. Money loaned and Business Paper purchased and negotiated. The highest market price paid for City, County and Railroad Orders, &c. Bills and Notes collected without charge and remitted at current rates.

Interest allowed on Deposites at the rate of Six per cent. Premiums paid for Gold and Silver Coin. Uncurrent Money bought and sold. Gold and Silver Coin for sale. Illegal Currency taken for collection. mar1ddy

G. PAPENDIEK & CO.,

BANKERS AND EXCHANGE BROKERS,
No. 210, East Water Street.

DRAFTS constantly for sale at the lowest current rates on
NEW YORK, BOSTON, BUFFALO,
CINCINNATI, CHICAGO, ETC.
Also on the following places in Europe:
Bremen, Hamburg, Frankfort, a. m. Leipzig,
London, Paris, etc.

Six per cent p. a. interest allowed on deposites made for one month and longer.

PEOPLE'S BANK (OF HARTEL, GREENLEAF & CO.), 227 EAST WATER STREET, MILWAUKEE, WIS.—Will transact a General Banking Business, give special attention to the Collection of Drafts, &c., and remit promptly at Lowest Rates. Will buy and sell Land Warrants, Specie and Uncurrent Money.

☞ Will *draw direct*, in sums to suit, on all the principal cities of Europe, at current rates.

☞ Interest paid on Deposites, at the rate of Six per cent per annum.

June 19, 1854. je19d1y

THE BANK OF COMMERCE, on the South West Corner of East Water and Michigan Streets, will attend to making Collections and doing other Banking Business. It has connected with it,

A Savings Department,

for receiving Deposites, on which Interest will be paid according to regulations of said Bank.

☞ STERLING BILLS, payable in any part of England, Scotland and Ireland, for sale at the "usual rates."

Milwaukee, April 27, 1854. J. S. COLT, Cashier.

NOTICE.—THE ATLANTA BANK, of Georgin, recently chartered by the Legislature of that State, is now owned by the Subscribers, and as such owners, they are personally liable for all its issues, in terms of the act of incorporation. The notes of the Bank will be received on deposit by the subscribers on the same terms that Ohio and Indiana money is received, and they will be redeemed in New York by the Agents of the Bank, at three quarters of one per cent. discount.

Chicago, April 23, 1853. GEO. SMITH & CO.

THE EXCHANGE BANK—(OF WM. J. BELL & CO.)—Recently organized under the Banking Law of this State, is prepared to transact a GENERAL BANKING BUSINESS.

Collections made in any part of this State, on favorabl terms. Interest allowed on deposits.

☞ SIGHT EXCHANGE for sale on Eastern and Southern Cities. jn27

SAMUEL MARSHALL.....CHARLES F. ILSLEY.

MARSHALL & ILSLEY, BANKERS, in "Furlong's New Block," corner of East Water and Huron streets, Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

☞ Exchange on England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales, constantly on hand. my1

THE STATE BANK OF WISCONSIN is now prepared to do business under the Banking Law of the State. Exchange sold on the principal Cities of the Union at current rates. Special rates of interest allowed on deposites.

my21 M. S. SCOTT, Cashie

THE CITY MARSHAL'S OFFICE will hereafter be kept in the Sheriff's Office, in Prentice's Block, over the Post-Office, where the Subscriber will at all times be ready to attend promptly to any business connected with his office.

JOHN MITCHELL, City Marshal.

Milwaukee, March 16, 1854.

STRAWBERRIES!

☞ AT McEWEN'S CONFECTIONERY AND ICE CREAM SALOON, 192 East Water Street, of the choicest kind, by the Plate, Quart or Peck.

☞ Call and see. je26

HAVEN POWERS,

JUSTICE OF THE PEACE,
Birchard's Block, Cor. Spring and West Water Sts.
Office Hours—8 to 12 and 2 to 5 1-2.
☞ COURT DAYS—TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS.

CITY CASH CLOTHING STORE,

No. 193 East Water Street, - Milwaukee,
MARTIN'S BLOCK.

☞ Clothing and Furnishing Goods at wholesale and retail.

J. MAGIE, (je14) J. A. SWAIN.

POST-OFFICE NOTICE.—This Office will open at 8 A. M. and close at 9 P. M., from and after this date until further notice.

J. A. NOONAN, P. M.
November 21, 1853. n19tf

NOTICE.—THE PROBATE OFFICE will be kept in BIRCHARD'S BLOCK, front room, second story, on the southwest corner of Spring and West Water streets. CHAS. E. JENKINS, County Judge.

Milwaukee, Jan. 2d, 1854. j5

Mrs. Chipman's Cholera Syrup!

To those afflicted with Bowel Complaint, Diarrhea, Dysentery, Cholera Morbus, or Cholera.

YOU have a CERTAIN and UNFAILING REMEDY for these distressing and dangerous diseases in Mrs. **Chipman's Cholera Syrup.** A trial of four years without failure, gives her the fullest confidence in its efficacy, and justifies her in recommending it to the public as an INFALLIBLE CURE. It can be given without the least risk and with the best effects to children.

☞ The Syrup can be found at Humphrey & Co's, 5th Ward; at Simon Stone's, 3d Ward; and at W. S. Hunts', 1st Ward. Also, a constant supply at Mrs. Chipman's residence, on South Water St., 5th Ward. Mrs. C. will also attend with her Medicine, if desired. jy15dtf

17th of July, 1854!

ANNIVERSARY FESTIVAL OF THE MILWAUKEE TURN VEREIN,

JULY 17, 1854, AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M. **Gymnastic Performances** on the Festival Grounds, at Wilhelmsburg, on the Green Bay Road, one mile north of the City limits.

Admittance for gentlemen 12½ cts.

☞ **Ball at Young's Hall,** at 8 o'clock P. M. Tickets, $1,00. Supper, extra, at 25 cts, a person.

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LOST,

YESTERDAY AFTERNOON, AT NORTH POINT, A **White Opal Breast Pin,** containing several Stones set in Gold. Whoever will return the above Pin to this office, will be satisfactorily rewarded. jy5

10 by 14, 9 by 14, and 12 by 18 GLASS 150 boxes this day landing for

jy3 BOSWORTH & SONS.

DUTCHER'S RED BUG BANE, OR DEAD SHOT—Another supply at

jy3 BOSWORTH & SONS.

MASON'S WHITE WASH BRUSHES—A few dozen just received at

jy3 BOSWORTH & SONS.

SULPH. QUININE—1 case Power & Weightman's just received by Express, at

jy3 BOSWORTH & SONS.

HARRISON'S SINGLE COLOGNE—In 4 and 8 oz. bottles, 8 gross this day received at

jy3 BOSWORTH & SONS.

MONTHLY CALENDAR.

1854.....JULY.....1854.

| Days of the Month and Week. | Sun rises. H.M. |

ELEGANT BALLAD.

'Twas on a cliff, whose rocky base
Baffled the briny wave,
Whose cultur'd height their verdant store
To many a tenant grave.

A mother, led by rustic cares,
Had wander'd with her child,
Unweaned the babe—yet on the grass
He frolick'd and he smiled.

With what delight the mother glow'd
To mark the infant's joy;
How oft would pause amid her toil
To contemplate her boy.

Yet soon by other cares enstrang'd,
Her thoughts the child forsook;
Careless he wanton'd on the ground,
Nor caught his mother's look.

Crop'd was each flower that met his eye,
Till scrambling o'er the green,
He gain'd the cliff's unsheltered edge,
And pleas'd, surveyed the scene.

'Twas now the mother, from her toil,
Turn'd to behold her child—
The urchin gone!—her cheeks were flush'd
Her wandering eye was wild.

She saw him on the cliff's rude brink—
Now careless peeping o'er—
He turn'd, and to his mother smil'd,
Then sported as before.

Sunk was her voice—'twas vain to fly—
'Twas vain the brink to brave—
Oh, Nature! it was thine alone
To prompt the means to save.

She tore her 'kerchief from her breast,
And laid her bosom bare;
He saw, delighted—left the brink,
And sought to banquet there. ANON.

ANECDOTE OF SWARTS.—Sandract relates the following anecdote of Christopher Swarts, a famous German painter, which if true, redounds more to his ingenuity than to his credit:—

"Having been engaged to paint the ceiling of the Town Hall at Munich, by the day, his love of dissipation induced him to neglect his work, so that the Magistrates and overseers of the work were frequently obliged to hunt him out at the cabaret. As he could no longer drink in quiet, he stuffed an image of himself; left the legs hanging down between the staging where he was accustomed to work, and sent one of his been companions to move the image a little two or three times a day, and to take it away by noon and night. By means of this deception he drank without the least disturbance a whole fortnight together, the inn-keeper being privy to the plot. The officers came in twice a day to look after him, and seeing the well known shoes and stockings which he was accustomed to wear, suspected nothing wrong, and went their way, greatly extolling their convert as the most industrious and conscientious painter in the world."

A REMARKABLE CASE OF TAUTOLOGY.—In the course of a debate, one of the opposition charged one of the other party with an ungrammatical use of the word *that*. A coadjutor of the offender rose, and addressed the chair: "Mr. President, I feel it my duty to defend my colleague from the charge of false grammar; and in so doing I shall prove by any grammarian you please, that that *that* that that gentleman used, was in strict accordance with every rule of grammatical construction."

The late Sir James Allan Parke interrupted a learned counsel, who was dealing forth common places and self-evident propositions with great fluency, with, "It needs no ghost from the grave to tell us that, sir!" "I don't intend to call one, my lord," was the reply.

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POPULAR PATENT MEDICINES OF THE DAY.

☞ Dealers supplied at manufacturers' prices.

S. JOHNSON, JR.,
No. 131 East Water St., Milwaukee, Wis.
OFFERS FOR SALE
Drugs, Medicines, Paints, Oils, Glass, Varnishes, Perfumery, Fancy Goods, Herbs and Extracts,
on the most favorable terms.

☞ Country merchants and others are invited to examine his Stock and Prices.

☞ *Great Care will be observed in packing goods for the Country* my20

JONES & CORL,
No. 208 East Water Street, Milwaukee,
(NEXT DOOR TO FARNSDIEK'S BANK,)
ARE NOW OPENING
And offering for Sale, an ASSORTED STOCK of
FAMILY GROCERIES,
at as low prices as they can be purchased in this market, and which will be sold at either WHOLESALE OR RETAIL.

☞ CASH PAID FOR BUTTER, EGGS, POULTRY, &c., or taken in exchange for goods.

☞ All goods purchased at our store, will be delivered, free of any charge, from 6 A. M. till 10 at night. my5tf

NEW BOOKS!
BY LAST NIGHT'S EXPRESS.—*The Parish Side*, by the author of "Clerk of the Parish of Edgefield," with illustrations.
The Art of Manufacturing Soap, including the most recent discoveries, &c.
Farmingdale, by Caroline Thomas. "With time and patience," says the Oriental Proverb, "the Mulberry leaf becomes Satin."
Wenslow, a Story without a Moral.
The Hive, or the Bee Hunter, a repository of Sketches, including peculiar American Character, Scenery and Rural Sports, by T. B. Thorpe.
Trapper and Stockman, or Life in Kentucky.
—All cheap for cash, at the Irving Bookstore, 150 East Water St. H. D. HULL.

CAST IRON WELL CURBS.
A SMALL LOT of this most CONVENIENT ARTICLE just received. It is for wells and cisterns, and should be placed over all of them where there are children. Please call and see. For sale by
my11 H. J. NAZRO & CO.

WOOD FOR SALE.
SEVERAL ACRES of OAK and MAPLE WOOD for sale cheap, on the Janesville Plank Road. Apply to JOHN GREGORY, House and Land Agent, Kneeland's Block, East Water Street. my27

PAPER HANGINGS.
OUR SUPPLY of NEW BEAUTIFUL PATTERNS will be found equal to any in the West, and at prices that cannot but be satisfactory.
June6 IRVING BOOKSTORE, 150 East Water-st.

CLOTHES' PINS.
PATENT SPRING CLOTHES' PINS—A new lot just received.—a neat, small and serviceable article.
The attention of housekeepers and wholesale dealer is respectfully called. (my31) H. J. NAZRO & CO.

THE BRITISH POETS.
PITTLE & BROWN'S EDITION, beautifully printed in neat volumes, at 75 cents, to be found at
jun5 A. WHITTEMORE & CO'S.

MOSS! MOSS!—12,000lbs. asst. Moss just received and for sale at retail or by the bale, by
my26 H. J. NAZRO & CO.

A FEW ACRES OF LAND for sale, near the city limits. Apply to JOHN GREGORY, House and Land Agent, Kneeland's Block, E. W. St. my29

BAKER & CO'S celebrated Chocolate, Cocoa, Brown, and Cocoa Paste, a new fresh lot just rec'd, and for sale by LUDINGTON & GRIDLEY.

1000 STARK MILLS and other styles of Sensitive Bags, on hand and for sale by LUDINGTON & GRIDLEY.

GENT'S Linen Half Hose, a new article for Gentlemen's summer use, for sale by LUDINGTON & GRIDLEY.

PROFILE PAPER, Cross-Section Paper, Tracing Paper and Marks; and other articles used in drafting. S. CHAPMAN, 165 East Water-st.

FRENCH PAPER HANGINGS—A NEW supply of Patterns not to be found in any other place in town. S. CHAPMAN, 165 East Water-St.

STARK MILLS BAGS for sale by
je12 J. D. GARDINER, 135 E. W. St.

WHEELBARROWS—1000 Wheel Barrows for sale by je23 H. J. NAZRO & CO

TAPE MEASURES, Thermometers, plain and fancy, for sale by oct21-d&c S. CHAPMAN.

NEW BUSINESS ARRANGEMENT.

C. J. GILBERT & CO.,
HAVING PURCHASED THE STOCK, and taken the store
No. 17 Wisconsin Street,
formerly occupied by B. B. BIRD, have the honor to announce to the citizens of the City and State, that we are now ready to sell all kinds of
BOOKS AND STATIONERY,
consisting of Miscellaneous Books, School Books, Letter Cap and Note Paper, Envelopes, Steel Pens, Port Monnaies, Card Cases, Pocket Knives, and a VAST NUMBER of other articles too tedious for us to enumerate here.
GOLD PENS.
A LARGE ASSORTMENT from all the manufacturers. Who, that knows the luxury of writing with a fine Gold Pen, will use any other. Who? we ask!
PAPER HANGINGS.
The largest assortment, and cheaper than ever before offered west of the Lakes. ☞ DON'T WHITEWASH YOUR HOUSES, when it is cheaper to Paper them from the large assortment of C. J. GILBERT & Co.
Cheap Publications—All kinds received as soon as issued by the Publishers.
Magazines—Harper's Putnam's, Godey's, Eclectic, Blackwood, Hunt's Merchants' and all others, which will be sent to any part of the State. Harper and Putnam at **$2,50** per year, when paid in advance. Whoever perused a No. of these Magazines, without mentally exclaiming, "It is worth twenty times its cost?"
Daily Papers mailed at the Publishers' prices.—By an arrangement recently made with the Publishers, we can furnish all of the NEW PUBLICATIONS as soon as issued from the Press.
Citizens of Wisconsin! if, in making your purchases, a large stock to select from, and **a saving of twenty per cent. in price** is an object with you, then call upon C. J. GILBERT & CO.
Milwaukee, April 25 1854. ap25 tfm

STOVES! STOVES!!

1854. **Spring, Summer and Fall Trade!** 1854.

THE Subscriber gives notice to the Country Trade that he will receive during the months of May and June,
3000 Premium Stoves,
3000 Air-Tight Cook Stoves,
2000 Elevated Oven Cook,
2500 Box and Plate Stoves,
2000 Parlor Air-Tight,
All of which are of the best style and made from the best materials.
Among the Elevated Ovens may be found the KING OF STOVES, which is warranted to do more cooking with the same amount of fuel than any other stove in existence. And if any person, after purchasing, does not find it so, they are at liberty to return it, he (the subscriber) paying cost of transportation.
He will supply the Trade with Stoves at less prices than they can be bought East and brought here, transportation added.
Tin Plate, Copper, Sheet Iron, Pig Tin, Wire, &c., on hand at New York prices.
LANSING BONNELL,
Agent for Vincent Hinrod & Co.,
89 and 91 East Water-st., Milwaukee.

☞ L. BONNELL is also Agent for **Fairbanks' Scales** and **Herring's Salamander Safes.** A large supply constantly on hand at manufacturers' prices. my27d3m

NEW GOODS! NEW GOODS!

I AM just receiving my SPRING STOCK OF GOODS, which were purchased under as favorable circumstances as any in market, having been purchased exclusively FOR CASH, and will be sold at as LOW PRICES (if not lower) than at any other establishment in the city. For the proof of which it will only be necessary for those wishing to purchase, to call at **No. 199 East Water Street,** and examine goods and prices.
My goods are of as GOOD QUALITY and STYLES as any in the market, and consist of nearly everything in the Dry Goods line, such as
Silks, Cashmeres, Tissues, Buregs,
Muslins and Bareges de Laines, Lawns, Jaconets, Ginghams, Chambrays, Poplins, &c., &c.
Shawls, &c.—Crape, Broche, Cashmere and Silk Shawls and Scarfs, Mantillas, Parasols, Fans, &c., &c.
Embroideries—consisting of Chemisettes, Collars, Undersleeves Worked Bands, Edgings and Insertings.
Straw Goods—consisting of Bonnets, Flats, Children's Hats, and Straw Trimmings.
Linens, &c.—Irish Linens, Linen Lawns, Linen Cambrick, Linen Handkerchiefs, &c., &c.
Together with a good assortment of DOMESTIC GOODS, which will be sold CHEAP FOR CASH, at *No. 199 East Water Street, Martin's Block.*
ap25 E. S. BURR.

HENRY J. NAZRO & CO.,

SIGN OF THE PADLOCK.
141 East Water St., Milwaukee.
WHOLESALE & RETAIL DEALERS IN
HARDWARE AND IRON.

WE shall be receiving, during the season of Navigation, FULL STOCKS and LARGE ASSORTMENTS of every description of
English, German and American Hardware.
Also, **Iron, Steel, Nails, Glass, Sash, Rope, &c., &c.**
And shall have the pleasure, from time to time, of informing the readers of this journal of the different articles which we are receiving.
This is the first time we have appeared before the readers of the *Free Democrat*, and we trust we may make the acquaintance of and sell to a large number of them goods in our line. We shall be pleased to show and to sell our goods when an opportunity offers.
☞ *We do not mean to be undersold.* (ap22)
HENRY J. NAZRO, New York. JOHN NAZRO, Milwaukee.

PIANOFORTES!

THE MOST MAGNIFICENT STOCK
EVER BROUGHT TO THIS CITY,
Can now be seen at H. N. HEMPSTED'S MUSIC WARE-ROOMS, 175 East Water Street, Milwaukee.
Boardman and Gray's Celebrated Pianofortes, with their *Patent "Dolce Campana" Attachment.*
Ten first-class Premiums and Gold Medals have been awarded to these Pianos, by various Fairs and Institutes, within about two years, and the manufacturers have in their possession testimonials from the most distinguished Musicians of Europe and America, including Jenny Lind, Strakosch, Gottschalk, Benedict and others, all *unanimous* in awarding to these Pianofortes the *first rank for superiority of tone, touch and finish.*
Also, **Firth, Pond & Co.'s Crystal Palace Premium Pianofortes,** with broad scale and Powerful tone.
Hallet & Cumston's Boston Pianos and **Steddart's celebrated New York Pianos.**
☞ All for sale at Manufacturer's Prices, and Warranted in every instance to prove satisfactory, or no sale.
my19 H. N. HEMPSTED, 175 East Water St.

NEW BOOKS.
THE THREE COLONIES OF AUSTRALIA—New South Wales, Victoria, and South Australia—their Pastures, Copper Mines and Gold Fields.
A YEAR WITH THE TURKS—Giving a plain, unvarnished account of a journey through Turkey, the character of her population, and a good map.
THE RUSSIAN SHORES OF THE BLACK SEA—Giving also the character of the contending party—the Russians—and a good map.
RUSSIA AS IT IS—This Book needs no recommendation; it speaks for itself. I need only say that the author gives an interesting account of the customs, manners, sentiments, opinions and aspirations of the Russians.
HOUSEHOLD SCENES FOR THE HOME CIRCLE. A valuable gift for a friend, with illustrations from Coffin.
Sold by H. D. HULL, at the Irving Bookstore, 150 East Water Street. my24

GARDEN AND FLOWER SEEDS.
THOS. HISLOP, Seedsman and Florist to the "Wisconsin State Agricultural Society," begs leave to announce the arrival of his Annual Stock of *Farm, Vegetable* and *Flower Seeds*, from England and Germany.
Separate Catalogues of each kind, with full description, may be had on application. The Flower Seed catalogue also contains a list of Roses, with Green House and other Plants.
N. B.—OSAGE ORANGE SEED for Hedges always on hand. THOS. HISLOP,
ap28 95 Wisconsin St., Milwaukee.

E. GILLESPIE,
Wisconsin Street, nearly Opposite the Stage Office,
KEEPS CONSTANTLY ON HAND, for his Customers and the Public generally,
Groceries, Vegetables, Poultry, Game, &c.
☞ The patronage of the public is respectfully solicited. dec31

REMOVAL.
S. J. MATHER has removed his stock of Crockery, China and Glass Ware to **No. 59 East Water Street,** next door to W. F. Young's, where he has on hand a LARGE STOCK OF GOODS, to which he invites the attention of the public. my18

MILWAUKEE STARCH,
MANUFACTURED BY
HOYER & MEINERS.
☞ Depot in Nunnemacher's Block, Market Square near Oneida Street Bridge je6tf

MRS. LEVY,
Corner Main and Oneida Sts., Milwaukee.
☞ FRENCH EMBROIDERY, FANCY WORK, and DRESSING. my30

ARNOLD'S RED INK—Superior to any American Carmine. Inks of various kinds for School and Counting Houses. S. CHAPMAN, 165 East Water st.

WANTED.—A GOOD GIRL to go in the country to do housework. A permanent situation and good wages given. Apply immediately at this office. my26

CONSTITUTION OF THE U. STATES
Parr's History of England, &c., for sale at
je1 CHAPMAN'S.

CASHMERE SHAWLS—A full assortment of various kinds and prices, at J. D. GARDINER'S.

NEW ROUTE TO THE EAST.

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THE GREAT WESTERN RAILWAY OF CANADA,
☞ **In now Open from Detroit to Niagara Falls, forming the last link of the Great Central Route between Chicago, New York and Boston, being the Shortest, Quickest and Cheapest Route East.**

☞ **Only One Change of Cars between Chicago and Niagara Falls.** ☞

☞ Trains leave Detroit daily (Sundays excepted) at 9 A. M., through in 8½ hours, connecting with the Night Express from Chicago, and with the New York Central Evening Lightning Express at Niagara Falls for Albany, New York and Boston.
The Great Western Railway also connects at Niagara Falls with the Cunandaigua and Niagara Falls branch of the New York and Erie Railroad, and via Buffalo with the Buffalo and New York City Branch New York and Erie Railroad—a variety of connections East unequalled by any other route.
ACCOMMODATION TRAIN leaves Detroit daily (Sundays excepted) at 1½ P. M.
EVENING EXPRESS leaves Detroit daily, at 5½ P. M. connecting at Niagara Falls with the New York Central Morning Lightning Express, arriving in New York the same evening.
☞ Passengers leaving Detroit in the morning, arrive at Buffalo the same evening.
Baggage checked through to Niagara Falls, Buffalo, Albany or New York.
This route offers great inducements to travellers, by the great distance saved over any other route.
The Great Western Railway passes through the most interesting and highly cultivated portion of Canada, affording a variety of scenery of unsurpassed beauty and grandeur, including the two greatest wonders of the world, the Falls of Niagara, and the Railway Suspension Bridge, over Niagara River.
☞ For through Tickets, apply at the office of the Michigan Central Railroad, opposite the Tremont House, Chicago, or at any of their offices in the Western towns.
ap12 C. J. BRYDGES, Managing Director.
D. S. CRANDALL, Gen'l Western Agent.
M. L. VARNEY, Agent for Milwaukee.

GREAT CENTRAL ROUTE.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILROAD!
Great Western (Canada) Railroad Open!
Forming, with other Lines, the Shortest, Quickest and Safest Route between MILWAUKEE, BOSTON AND NEW YORK!

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, 30th January, Passenger Trains will run daily, except on Saturday Evening and Sunday Morning, from Chicago as follows:
Leave Chicago at 7 A. M. and 9 P. M.
The 9 p. m. Train connects next morning, at Detroit, with the Train for the East over the Great Western Railroad.
The Morning Train from Chicago connects at Michigan City with Trains on the New Albany and Salem Railroad for Lafayette and Cincinnati.
☞ Through Tickets for Buffalo, New York, Boston, and other cities East, sold at the Ticket Office, opposite the United States Hotel, next door to the American Express Company's Office, Huron street, Milwaukee.
ap18 EDWIN NOYES, General Sup't.
L. H. COTTON, Ticket Agent.

MICHIGAN SOUTHERN RAILROAD.

NOTICE!

General Passenger Office Michigan Southern R. R., Chicago, May 10, 1854.
ON AND AFTER MONDAY, MAY 15,
Four Passenger Trains will leave Chicago Daily,
OVER THIS ROAD, AS FOLLOWS:

1st. MORNING EXPRESS,	Leaves at 6 A. M.	
2d. MAIL EXPRESS,	" at 2 P. M.	
3d. EVENING EXPRESS,	" at 6 P. M.	
4th. STEAMBOAT EXPRESS,	" at 8 P. M.	

1st, 2d and 3d Trains make direct Railroad connections with all important points throughout Ohio, Pennsylvania, New York, and the New England States.
The 4th is an exclusive Steamboat Train, and connects *only with the Company's Steamboats at Monroe*, for Buffalo without landing. GEO M. GRAY, Agent.
B. P. PECKHAM, Agent, Milwaukee.
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CLEMENT'S LINE OF STEAMERS.
THE STEAMERS running in the above line, will leave this Port—
For Chicago, every morning, at 8 o'clock; and
For Sheboygan, every afternoon, at 3 o'clock,
"weather permitting."
This line connects at Chicago with the Michigan Central and Michigan Southern Railroads.
mar10 KELLOGG & STRONG, Agents.

HIBBARD & MCKAY,
MANUFACTURERS OF, AND WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DEALERS IN
BOOTS AND SHOES,
No. 202 West Water Street, Milwaukee,
(Opposite the Methodist Episcopal Church.)
Have always on hand a complete assortment, and are prepared to manufacture everything in their line of the BEST MATERIAL, on the shortest notice, and in a style unsurpassed for neatness and durability by any establishment in this city.
They promise entire satisfaction in the execution of all orders entrusted to their care, and all they ask is a trial.
Give them a call and judge for yourselves, as they feel confident that a continuation of your favors will follow.
☞ Remember the place—No. 202 West Water Street, opposite the Methodist Episcopal Church. feb24 1y

MCNEILL & GRANT,
House, Sign, Coach, and Ornamental
PAINTERS,
Imitators of Wood and Marble and Paper Hangers.
☞ Walls and Ceilings done in White and other Colors. Parlors finished with *French and American Zinc.* All done in Superior Styles and at Low Prices.
☞ Orders promptly attended to. Shop corner of Main and Mason streets. mh25-1y

J. A. HALL,
(formerly Hall & Pierce.)
Bookseller and Stationer and Dealer in Paper Hangings,
HAS now on hand for sale a LARGE ASSORTMENT of most of the goods wanted in his line of business, and has "more of the same sort" on the way.
J. A. HALL, 185 East Water St., Milwaukee

ANOTHER "IMPORTANT CHANGE."
IRVING BOOKSTORE removed 2 doors north of the "Old Stand," to
150 East Water Street,
where the "Low Route" will give us a great advantage over our neighbors in the trade. We trust our old customers and friends will not fail to find us.
A full assortment of articles in our line now on hand for sale at *still lower prices.* H. D. HULL,
May 15, 1854. Irving Bookstore.

THE SOCIAL ORCHESTRA.
A COLLECTION of the latest and most popular Melodies, arranged as Solos, Duetts, Trios and Quartettes, for the Violin, Flute and Violoncello, suitable for Serenades, Evenings at Home, &c. By Stephen E. Foster, author of "My Old Kentucky Home," "Nelly Bly," and other popular songs. Just published by Firth, Pond & Co., New York, and for sale at 175 East Water st., by
mar6 H. N. HEMPSTED.

☞ **REMOVAL.** ☜
I SHALL hereafter be found with my Stock of Goods on the Second Floor, over my old stand, now the Bank of Commerce, where I shall be ready to wait on my old customers.
☞ Unusual advantages will now be afforded to purchasers of PAPER HANGINGS and STATIONERY.
mh21 SILAS CHAPMAN.

ANTI-SLAVERY WORKS—Miscellaneous Writings on Slavery, by Wm. Jay, Higher Law, by Spooner; Speeches in Congress, by Giddings; and various other popular anti-slavery works, at
A. WHITTEMORE & CO.'S.

NEBRASKA QUESTION—Comprising Eight Speeches in the U. S. Senate, together with the History of the Missouri Compromise, Webster's Memorial, Compromises of 1850, &c., &c. A supply this day received at the Irving Bookstore. (ap24) H. D. HULL.

BUTLER'S PROBATE TREATISE—on the Probate Jurisdiction and Practice of the County Courts of the State of Wisconsin, by Hon. W. T. Butler, Judge of Jefferson Co. A full supply this day rec'd at
mh29 H. D. HULL'S, Irving Bookstore.

SPRING STYLES—Beebee & Co.'s and Genin's Spring style Hats, received and for sale by
J. H. SILKMAN,
feb24 152 East Water st., Milwaukee.

JUST READ THIS!
P. BARKER has the nicest lot of **Furs, Hats, Caps, Gloves, &c.** Just the things for the Holidays. Call and see them, at
dec24 **180 East Water Street.**

BLACK SILKS!
ALL WIDTHS OF BISCHOFF'S and Gro de Zurich celebrated Black Silks, of rich lustre and warranted, at
BRADFORD BROTHERS, 135 East Water St.

SHAVING & HAIR DRESSING
IN the best manner at 135 Spring Street, three doors east of the American, by
Milwaukee, July 6th. dtf GEO. H. CLARK.

MITCHELL'S UNIVERSAL ATLAS at $12,00—new revised edition for 1854, at
A. WHITTEMORE & CO.'S.

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SPRING EXHIBITION!
A MAGNIFICENT STOCK OF DRY GOODS!
Greater Bargains were Never Before Offered!
WONDERFUL AND ASTONISHING!
Great Addition to the Immense Stock of Goods, at
MACK'S NEW YORK CHEAP CASH STORE!
No. 194 West Water Street, - Milwaukee,
—DURING THE PAST WEEK—
MAKING the Largest Assortment of Dry Goods to be found in the City. Having bought of importers and manufacturers and heavily at auction, under extraordinary circumstances, they are prepared to offer, at great bargains, all kinds of
Silks, Shawls, Mantillas, French Muslins, Calicoes,
Delaines, Challis, De Beiges, Lustre de Lyon, Alborines, and indeed every kind and style of Dry Goods worn by Ladies, Gentlemen or Children, or used in household affairs, and they respectfully solicit the public to
Call and Examine their Stock,
and judge for themselves whether their Goods are not superior in quality and style and CHEAPER THAN AT ANY OTHER ESTABLISHMENT IN THE CITY. It is impossible to enumerate all, or even a moiety of their great bargains, but would call attention to a few as a sample.
45,000 yards Chambray Linen, Scotch and American Ginghams, for 1 shilling, worth 2s.
56,000 yards Lawns, Organdines and Printed Muslins, yard wide, all colors, very fine goods, at 1 shilling a yard, worth more than double.
Merinoes, Alpaccas, Lustre de Lyon, Poplins, Muslinde Laines, Bareges, Barege de Laines, Tissues, Challies, De Beiges, Grenadines and Alborines will be offered so cheap that they can be bought for common wear.
BEAUTIFUL, FASHIONABLE PLAID SILKS, at 5 shillings a yard.
ELEGANT, PLAIN, CHANGEABLE and STRIPED SILKS, at 6 shillings a yard.
White Goods and Embroideries.
They offer the strongest inducements to purchasers and are confident they cannot be excelled.
They offer the best of Bishop Lawns, India Linen, Book Muslins, Swiss and Dotted Muslins, plain, striped and checkered Cambrics, from 1 shilling a yard upward.
Also, Lace and Muslin Window Draperies, Chemisettes, Undersleeves, rich embroidered Collars, emb'd Pocket Hdkfs, Infants' Waists, Lace Veils, Modlin and Cambric Bands, Edgings and Insertings, Thread Laces, etc., embracing an almost endless variety, and which they are offering at unheard of low prices.
SHAWLS.
Rich Canton Crape Shawls, black and colored Silk do., printed and wrought Cashmere, plain and printed Delaine, French Cashmere, and Broche Long and Square, of the most beautiful styles and patterns and splendid quality, at manufacturer's prices.
Cloths, Bonnets, Gloves, Hosiery, &c.
French Broadcloths, Doeskins and Cassimeres, of our own importation, and Satinetts, Ky Jeans, Flannels and Vestings, at prices much below their value.
Ladies' and Misses' Tuscan, Lace and Straw Bonnets, Ribands, Flowers, Parasols, Linens, Laces, Gloves, Hosiery, and Trimmings, in great abundance and at extraordinary low prices.
Marseilles Quilts, Toilet, Table and Piano Covers, Table Damasks, Diapers and Napkins of every kind and style the market affords.
French, English & American Calicoes, bleached and unbleached Sheetings, Sheetings and striped Shirtings, from 4d upward—and so on, through every department of their immense establishment, so that a Lady can buy her own and family's supply
Cheaper than anywhere else in this City.
And so extensive and general is their assortment, that everything that any Lady or Family can want, may be obtained there, without the fatigue and perplexity of
Running all over Town,
to make up their supply. They would invite special attention to their stock of
Plain Black Silks,
of the very best manufacture, and warranted A No. 1; also, every other kind of Black Silks, as watered, figured, plaid and striped, &c.
Mourning Goods of every Description.
Our Wholesale Departments on 2d, 3d and 4th floors, are well filled with Goods adapted to the Wisconsin market, and Merchants, Milliners and Pedlars will be supplied at New York Jobbing Prices.
MACK, OETTINGER & CO.,
New York Cheap Cash Store,
194 West Water Street, Milwaukee.
☞ We shall daily receive new Goods from our House in New York, and will always be supplied with the most fashionable and desirable styles, as they may arrive from Paris and London. my2

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FURNITURE & UPHOLSTERY ESTABLISHMENT,
—WHOLESALE AND RETAIL—
172 and 174 East Water St., Milwaukee.

SEAMAN & WING,
HAVING FORMED A CO-PARTNERSHIP for the transaction of a general business in the above line, will be prepared this Spring to exhibit in their extensive **Ware Rooms the Largest Stock** ever offered in the western country.
CABINET FURNITURE,
Embracing nearly every article connected with the trade. Elegant new designs in all styles of rich Furniture in ROSEWOOD, MAHOGANY AND BLACK WALNUT. Medium and Common Furniture, good materials and workmanship to suit all.
UPHOLSTERY.
In this department of the trade care will be taken in selecting as to quality and style for general sales—with an assortment large and complete. A competent and experienced man always on hand to execute work in connection with this branch of business.
FURNISHING GOODS,
Of all kinds. Beds in Feathers, Curled Hair, Moss, Cotton, Sea Grass and Straw. Also on hand and made to order, the celebrated SPIRAL SPRING AND HAIR MATTRASS.
TO THE TRADE.
Cabinet Makers through the country can at all times be supplied with articles in their line at a small advance from New York cost. Eastern knock-down work in every variety.
VARNISH AND JAPAN.
Agents for Thompson, Price & Co.'s celebrated Varnishes and Japan.
N. B.—We have the exclusive Agency in this State for the sale of
"Fisk's Patent Metallic Burial Cases."
An article altogether unique, and which is destined to become, from their imperishable nature, an article of general use. Sold at New York prices, transportation added.
It will be an object with the Proprietors of the above concern, of establishing one of the largest General Depots of this kind in the "Western Country."
☞ All orders will be promptly executed, and the Firm responsible for all work warranted by them.
A. D. SEAMAN, JOHN WING, Jr.,
je2 [Formerly Sexton, Wing & Co.

UNCLE BEN
HAS JUST RECEIVED A LOT OF
Fine Moleskin and Drab Beaver Hats,
Expressly for the City Trade.
Beebe & Co.'s, Genin's and Leary's Styles!
Also, a complete assortment of all kinds of
SUMMER AND STRAW HATS,
for sale low. Call in and see, at THROOP & BAILEY'S,
180 East Water Street.
N. B.—Hats that are made by EASTERN CONVICTS who have served their time, for sale at from $1,50 to $3.00.
my16 THROOP & BAILEY, 180 East Water St.

FARM FOR SALE.
JOHN GREGORY, House and Land Agent, is instructed to sell **115 acres of first rate land,** near the village of Johnson's Creek, in Jefferson County. It has the advantage of a Plank and Railroad, and is situated on the banks of Rock River.—This will be sold cheap. ap22

100 Cases Baltimore Spiced Oysters,
50 one gal. kegs do do do
500 Cincinnati Sugar-cured Hams,
500 St. Louis do do do
1000 Milwaukee do do do for sale by
JONES & CORL,
my5 208 East Water Street.

WANTED AT "PAR"
FOR GROCERIES—At the very lowest Cash prices
$1000 Joint Stock Co. Bank, Toronto,
1000 Erie & Kalamazoo Railroad Bank,
1000 Macon Merchants' Bank, Georgia,
my4tf By JONES & CORL, 208 East Water St.

SPRING GOODS!
200 Dozen Common-Handled Hoes.
100 do Cast Steel Hoes.
All kinds of Garden Tools.
100 setts of Cultivator Teeth.
For sale cheap by. HENRY J. NAZRO & CO

NEW STYLE CAPS.
A NEW and beautiful style of Caps—latest fashion—can be found at 152 East Water street.
ap11 J. H. SILKMAN

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